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### MEMORIAL SERVICES.

Memorial services were held at St. John's Episcopal church on Sunday afternoon at half past two o'clock, when the rector, Rev. Henry E. Hovey, preached a most appropriate sermon to the members of Storer post, No. 1, G. A. R., Storer relief corps, No. 6, Gen. Gilman Marston command, U. V. U., Harriet P. Dame Woman's Relief union and Company B, N. H. N. G. The topic of the discourse was "The Relations of Our Land to the World in the Coming Century." Rev. Hovey's treatment of it was thoughtful and impressive. The ancient sanctuary was handsomely decorated with flowers, while the music was pertinent to the occasion.

### AT THE NAVY YARD.

The ship house board has completed its duty. The iron draw in the railroad bridge is being placed in position. The contractors are now all on the hustle and things look lively. Rear Admiral J. J. Road, U. S. N., passed Saturday and Sunday in Boston. The committee on social hops has been called together to arrange a programme for the season. Capt. Charles H. Manning, U. S. N., retired, of Manchester, was a visitor to the yard on Saturday and called on Lieutenant Commander G. B. Ransom, U. S. N.

## SUNDAY HORROR.

### Two Trolley Cars In Terrible Collision.

### Five Persons Killed And Many Others Fatally Injured.

### Both Motormen Dead—Were Racing At Top Speed For A Switch.

ALBANY, May 26. —Electric cars racing for a switch at a speed of forty miles an hour, and bound in opposite directions, cost five lives this afternoon, by a terrific collision, and over forty prominent persons, some fatally and others seriously injured, crowd the accident wards of the hospitals, with other deaths likely before morning. The lobby of the local postoffice is filled with dead and wounded, and hysterical women are there seeking relatives and friends. The cars met on a single track, at a sharp curve, about three miles out of Greenbush, on the Albany and Hudson road just completed. Both motormen were killed.

### UNION TEMPERANCE MEETING.

A well attended union temperance meeting was held in the North Congregational church on Sunday evening. There were present many parishioners from the other Protestant houses of worship, where the regular Sunday evening service had been omitted. The meeting was arranged by a joint committee from the Women's Christian Temperance Union and the Good Templars. An address that proved timely and interesting was given by Mrs. Ada Unruh, one of the national speakers of the Women's Christian Temperance Union.

### MARITIME NOTES.

Capt. Perkins of the steam yacht Mandaly passed Sunday with his family in Ogunquit, Me.

The schooner Alfred W. Fisk is discharging a cargo of six hundred tons of coal at Jones' wharf.

The tug Piscataqua arrived from Boston on Sunday with the barges Eliot, Dover and York.

Captain Fowler carried a party of railroad men on a fishing trip in his launch Ollie on Sunday.

The tug Hokendangua sailed on Sunday for Boston, to get a tow of barges for Perth Amboy.

The Sam Adams towed the schooner Flying Eagle to the Shoals on Sunday, owing to the lack of wind.

The schooner Lavinia Campbell arrived on Sunday with a cargo of coal for J. A. and A. W. Walker.

The ferryboat Alice Howard, after being off the route for repairs, resumed her run on Sunday evening.

Engineer James Boardman has resumed his duties on the steamer Sam Butterfield, after a long illness.

Captain Frisbee of the steam yacht Pearl has leased the Ham house, Badger's island, for the summer.

The tug Hamilton A. Mathes went to York for a barge loaded with brick and bound for Boston, on Sunday.

It is said that the new Boston boat will land at the wharf off Market street, near the Portsmouth, Kittery and York ferry landing.

The steamer Charles F. Mayer arrived from Baltimore on Sunday with coal for the Walkers and towing a barge, which was docked by the Howel.

### HER ENGAGEMENT FINISHED.

Miss Emma Dawdy, who has been contralto in the choir of the Middle street Baptist church for the past year, concluded her engagement there on Sunday morning. Miss Dawdy has given excellent satisfaction since she assumed the position and her departure is noted with regret. Miss Dawdy will sing at the strawberry festival to be given by the King's Daughters of the Middle street church this (Monday) evening, in Pelee hall, but will soon return to her home in Peoria, Ill.

Almost time for cycle runs.

### PICKUPS AT RANDOM.

Here's a Vassar girl getting appendicitis from walking too far for daily exercise; and here's a doctor saying that if you don't walk considerably every day, you'll have liver trouble. What's a fellow to do, anyway, ride in an automobile? Or will that make him bilious?

The members of the Press club base ball team have caught the fever and are looking for a contest with nine other young athletes of this town. Preference will be given the clerks in the clothing and dry goods stores. It is suggested that the game be played at Maplewood park and be limited to six innings. It is quite doubtful if nine innings could be finished between three o'clock and dark, for ample allowance must be made for repeated assaults upon the umpires, lost balls, calls for surgical attendance and other inevitable hindrances. The newspaper fellows had such a picnic in the game they won last year that they want a more even proposition this time, and they think the clerks could trot out talent enough to keep them busy.

The horses in this section don't seem to take kindly to automobiles. The driver of a grain team will swear that his equine didn't, anyway. It was on Middle street, almost out to South road, the other afternoon. The horse was plugging leisurely along, musing peacefully on the oats that would be his at teatime, when one of these new fangled machines came zipping past. The horse reigned his lost, yonth, the whole of it, in just about two seconds. He gave one leap like a granite jumping through a hoop and shied wildly, and the driver, who had been communing with a black clay pipe, went through space like a rocket and landed flat upon his stomach, in the middle of the roadway. By that time the auto was clear down to Market square. The horse thought one leap was enough with a heavy grain wagon hitched to him, so he stopped: the man finally regained his wind and mounted his perch again, and the episode was over.

A big dog with a particular aversion for cats was trotting down Islington street on a recent afternoon, when he spied a gray cat sunning herself in the door of Yeaton's grocery store. This cat had some kittens inside the store, but the dog didn't know this. If he had, he probably wouldn't have sought a controversy with her. He pounced upon her—and then as quickly jumped back; for the cat had dug her claws into his nose good and hard and made the blood run. And then she ran. But the dog had enough and didn't return to the attack.

Have you seen a golden robin yet? Not one of them has flashed across my vision this year. Until I have seen one, I shall refuse to believe that spring is here. The golden robin is my ideal spring bird. He never deceives, for he never appears until all the cold, dreary weather is by and the mellowness of the

### Dyspepsia 20 Years

#### Could Eat Only Stale Bread—All Else Caused Distress.

"I have derived so much benefit from Hood's Sarsaparilla, after having been a sufferer for more than 20 years from a bad stomach trouble, that I would like to tell about. For years I was obliged to live on stale bread and the juice of beefsteak. I had a great deal of inflammation and gastric trouble and was twice at death's door. A friend told me of Hood's Sarsaparilla and I decided to try a bottle. I derived so much benefit from it that I got three more, and after taking them I felt that I was entirely cured. I am now 85 years old and enjoy excellent health for one of my years, but every spring I take a bottle of Hood's so that I may feel strong and well during the summer, and I recommend it to anyone who suffers from dyspepsia or indigestion." Mrs. A. G. Manson, 12 Mason Street, Salem, Mass.

### All Run Down—Torpid Liver.

"Every spring I suffer from torpid liver and the debilitating influence of the change from cold to warmer weather. Last spring found me unusually run down, having nursed four of my children, unassisted, through a siege of scarlet fever. I took Hood's Sarsaparilla and passed through the trying months without any inconvenience whatever. I believe for persons having an inactive liver and poor blood Hood's Sarsaparilla is a good medicine." Mrs. E. B. Guoss, Findlay, Ohio.

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real spring has come. Point out to me one of these spruce birds and I shall rejoice that we are on the threshold of summer.

Company B won't wear white duck pants on Memorial day, this year. The idea was broached by some member at the drill on Friday evening, but it was not received favorably at all. A vote upon it was taken, and all the militia men present were on the negative side. Really, as a month for duck pants or paper suits, this May hasn't been a blooming success. It is rather uncertain now whether we shall be favored with a simoon or a blizzard next Thursday, so the boys of Company B would better keep their blue cloth right on.

I am told, by a man who is in the business, that the taste for antique furniture is dying out, after having had a monopoly of the market for the past ten years. According to this dealer, the public demand has at last been satisfied and preparations are now being made for a revival of the taste for modern furniture, made more in accordance with artistic than conventional models.

A business man who occasionally enjoys the recreation which comes from a day's outing along the trout brooks remarked to me recently: "I wonder if something can't be done to reach a small class of fishermen in this section who, from the time that the brook trout season opens until its close, make a regular business of 'skinning' the streams? If I am correctly informed, a law was passed by the last legislature imposing a fine of fifty dollars upon any person who, for the whole or any part of the time, engages in the business or occupation of fishing for brook trout, and in direct violation of this law there are certain parties, well known to the angling craft, who have been devoting practically all of their time since the brook trout season opened to following the best brooks in this vicinity, making it almost impossible for a true lover of the sport to catch a string of trout. What these parties do with all the fish they take, I don't know; but it is good guessing that the trout are not all used for food consumption at home."

They're telling about a good joke on a chief clerk at the navy yard, and as I know it's true in every detail, I'll proceed to let you in on it. To begin with, Rear Admiral Read, U. S. N., is one of the finest looking commandants in uniform that the Portsmouth navy yard has ever had, and when he dons citizen's clothes, they give him an even smarter appearance and change him not a little. On a recent fair afternoon the admiral came over to town, wearing a silk beaver and a Prince Albert, and carrying a pair of light gloves and a cane. On the lapel of his coat was displayed a Loyal Legion button.

The chief clerk in question chanced to come across the admiral on Congress street and failed to recognize him (this seems scarcely plausible, but it is so, just the same.) Noticing the Loyal Legion button, he remarked that he was a member, too, and asked the admiral where he was from. "Pennsylvania," replied Admiral Read pleasantly. "Well, I'm from Maine," rejoined the clerk, and added, "I follow the navy." Admiral Read casually observed that he had a little something to do with the navy himself. This led to quite a conversation.

Finally they came to the store of Moses Brothers and the admiral went in to get a paper. Just then another man from the yard came along and said to the clerk, "Getting pretty chum my with the commandant, ain't you?" "With whom?" exclaimed the clerk. "Why, didn't you know that was Admiral Read?" asked the other. The clerk gasped, then ejaculated, "Well, I'm jiggered! Guess he thinks I'm a pretty sociable kind of a chap!" Now when the clerk's associates at the yard want to have a little fun with him, they call in through the door of his department, "Can you spare a few minutes?" And if he says he can, then they say, "I thought I'd take you up and introduce you to the admiral."

Not many shirt waist men have appeared yet, but the shirt waist girl is already out and about, and she is daintier this year than ever. I saw one of her genus the other afternoon, who looked as fresh and bright as a butterfly just out of its chrysalis. If all the men who essay to cut a good figure in shirt waists could make themselves appear as charming as this miss, there would be some excuse for them; but most of the dear boys are anything except as attractive in the rig.

### SPECIAL SERVICES.

The exercises at Christ church on Sunday were of special interest, as they were significant of the fifth anniversary of the coming of the present rector, Rev. C. LeV. Brine. A fine musical programme was carried out, morning and evening, and there was a very large attendance on each occasion.

The order of exercises follows:  
MUSIC, 10.30.

Processional, "Come, Then Holy Spirit," Weber  
Introit, "Praise Ye the Father," Gounod  
Kyrie Gloria Gratus Eyre  
Credo, Agutter  
Offertorium, "O, for a Closer Walk With God," Foster  
Presentation, Senfau Cordi, plain song. Cornell  
Sanctus, Agutter  
Benedictus, Eyre  
Agnus Dei, Agutter

Communion, "Pilgrim Chorus," Organ  
Gloria in Excelsis, Agutter  
Post Communion, "Let Not Your Heart be Troubled," Gimpe  
Recessional, "Glorious Things of These are Spoken."

MUSIC AT 7.30 P. M.  
Recessional, "Come Then Holy Spirit," Weber  
Versicles and responses, Tullis  
Proper Psalms, 104, 145. Kimmins  
Magnificat  
Nunc Dimittis  
Anthem, "O, For a Closer Walk With God," Foster  
Recessional, "Glorious Things of These are Spoken."

### FOUGHT FOR HIS LIFE.

"My father and sister both died of Consumption," writes J. T. Weather, of Wyandotte, Mich., "and I was raved from the same frightful fate only by Dr. King's New Discovery. An attack of Pneumonia left an obstinate cough and very severe lung trouble, which an excellent doctor could not help, but a few months' use of this wonderful medicine made me as well as ever and I gained much in weight." Infallible for Coughs, Colds and all Throat and Lung trouble. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00 at Globe Grocery Co. Trial bottles free.

### NEW HAMPSHIRE COLLEGE.

Program of the Exercises of Commencement Week at the Institution.

The exercises of commencement week at the New Hampshire college will begin on Sunday, June 2. The music this year will be furnished by Nason's orchestra. The program of the exercises will be as follows:

Sunday, June 2.—10.45 a. m., Baccalaureate sermon, President Charles S. Munkland.

Monday, June 3.—9.00 a. m., Beginning of examinations for admission to college; examinations continue through Tuesday; hours assigned to subjects will be given upon application; 7.45 p. m., prize drill.

Tuesday, June 4.—11.00 a. m., annual meeting of board of trustees; 2.30 p. m., class day exercises; 7.45 p. m., Smyth prize reading and speaking at Thompson hall.

Wednesday, June 5.—9.00 a. m., bat talion drill; 11.00 a. m., commencement exercises at Thompson hall; address by Rev. Geo. F. Moore, D. D.; conferring degrees; 8.00 p. m., senior promenade.

### FINAL RESTING PLACE.

The body of William H. Dunbar, Jr., eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Dunbar of Hanover street, this city, and who died March 4th, 1899, and was buried with military honors in Harmony Grove cemetery by Battery M, 4th Regiment, U. S. Artillery, then stationed at New Castle, and of which organization the deceased was a member, will be disinterred on the 29th instant and conveyed to Brockton, Mass., where the remains will find a final resting place in the family lot in Owasco cemetery. The body will be received in Brockton by Appomattox command, Union Veteran's Union, Spanish veterans, and Grover Camp Sons of Veterans, of which latter organization the deceased had been a prominent member and escorted to the grave. Mr. and Mrs. Dunbar and surviving children will accompany the remains.

### SPECIAL TOWN MEETING.

There will be a special town meeting in Eliot on Tuesday for the purpose of securing reform in the common schools.

### GOODWIN IN AUGUSTA.

Will Testify in the Graffam Murder Case at Portland.

The Kennebec Journal, (Augusta, Me.,) said on Saturday:

Calah Goodwin of Portsmouth, N. H., is in the city for a few days. Mr. Goodwin will be a witness for the defence in the case of State vs. Edward Graffam for the alleged murder of Clifford Mosher at Gorham, Jan. 12, and who will be tried at this session at the Cumberland county superior court.

Mr. Goodwin formerly conducted a boarding house of Gorham and Graffam, under the name of Lawrence True heart, was a guest at the establishment of Mr. Goodwin in the interval between Sept. 6 and Sept. 16. It is understood that the theory of the government is to prove that Graffam came direct from Boston to the Mosher homestead, and there, it is alleged, committed the crime.

Mr. Goodwin says that after Graffam left his boarding house, he passed several days in Portsmouth. He also says that Graffam was never accused, while a guest at his house, of being lax in his duties relating to the culinary line. Graffam worked nights, but arose a dinner every day, thereby consuming four square meals a day.

### HARBOR FRONT NEWS.

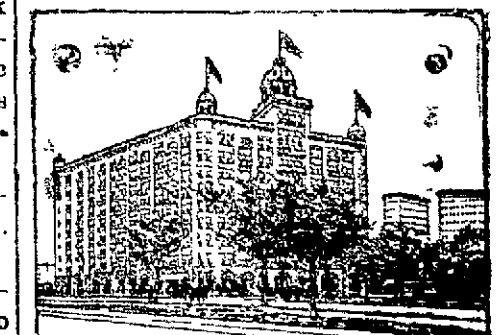
Arrived, May 26.—Steamer Charles F. Mayer, Baltimore, with coal, towing barge Number Nineteen, do, with coal for J. A. and A. W. Walker; tug Piscataqua, Boston, towing barges Eliot and Dover for Eliot, light, and Exeter for York, light; tug H. A. Mathes, Saco, towing barge New Market, do, with brick for Boston.

Arrived, May 27.—Schooners Samuel Lewis, Ellsworth for Seitate, with lumber; Rising Sun, Rockland for New York, with lime; Lavinia Campbell, Washington, with coal for J. A. and A. W. Walker.

Sailed, May 27.—Tug Piscataqua, towing barges Berwick, York and New Market, with brick; schooners Hattie Lewis, Boston, with brick; Catalina, Rockport.

### NAVAL VESSELS' MOVEMENTS.

The gunboat Scorpion has arrived at Memphis; the collier Hannibal at Lambert's Point, La.; the flagship Brookland at Auckland, New Zealand; the gunboat Isla de Luzon and the collier Saturn at Manila, and the collier Leonidas at Key West. The gunboat Vixen has sailed from Signa de Tanamo for Gibara, Cuba.



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For York Corner, York Village, York Harbor and York Beach—6:55, 7:25, 7:55, 8:25, 8:55, 9:25, 9:55, 10:25, 10:55, 11:25, 11:55 a. m., 12:25, 12:55, 1:25, 1:55, 2:25, 2:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:25, 6:55, 7:25, 7:55, 8:25, 8:55, 9:25, 9:55, 10:25, 10:55 p. m.

Car leaves Sea Point for Portsmouth—6:30, 7:00, 7:30, 8:00, 8:30, 9:00, 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, 11:30, a. m., 12 m., 12:30, 1:00, 1:30, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 6:30, 7:00, 7:30, 8:00, 8:30, 9:00, 9:30, 10:00, p. m.

Car leaves York Beach for Portsmouth—5:45, 6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30, 11:30, a. m., 12:30, 1:30, 2:30, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30, 6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, p. m.

Sunday time same as on week days except that the first boat leaves York Beach for Portsmouth at 7:30 a. m., and first car leaves York Beach at 7:30 a. m.

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—Chicago Record.

**Applause Is Prohibited.**  
 The audience in Russian theaters are strictly forbidden to applaud. The audience in the theaters of Japan are not permitted to applaud until they receive the cue from the stage, on the prompting of the manager.

The first mothers in the theaters of an ancient Rome were much more particular in the matter of applause than modern audiences are. When the Roman theaters were fairly well furnished with scenery, they applauded by waving their thumbs and middle fingers. If they wanted the actors to understand that they were really satisfied with the performance, they clapped loudly by beating the left fingers on the right hand. A voice heard in the audience was given a striking effect, but the palm of the hand against each other.

At the two imperial theaters in Vienna, the opera and the Burg, applause is not allowed until the conclusion of an act and encores are strictly prohibited.

Cleveland Field Dealer.

**THE REVISION DEBATE.**

General Assembly Votes Against the Minority Report.

**VIEWS OF MANY SPEAKERS.**

Dr. Johnson of Chicago Gives Reasons Why Short Creed Containing Essentials of the Doctrine Should Be Drawn Up.

Philadelphia, May 25.—After having signally defeated the amendment dismissing the subject of creed revision from further consideration the Presbyterian general assembly proceeded to discuss the first amendment to the revision committee's report offered by Rev. Dr. James E. Moffatt of Cumberland, Md.

This amendment substituted the minority report, which agrees with the majority report in all but recommendation B, suggesting the preparation of a summary of the reformed faith.

After a prolonged debate it was defeated by a vote of 271 to 234.

Joseph H. Vance of Chicago moved the previous question on the original motion—the adoption of the majority report in its entirety—but after the moderator said he hoped the matter would be laid over until Monday, the motion to move the previous question was overwhelmingly defeated. Adjournment was then taken until Monday.

The debate was opened by the Rev. Dr. William McKibben of Cincinnati, who, with E. W. C. Humphrey of Louisville, submitted the minority report, stating his reasons for disagreeing with the majority on recommendation B.

"In the minority report," he said, "we have a chapter on missions, a chapter on the love of God for men and a chapter on the Holy Spirit. We have relief in relation to elect infants, relief in the matter of oaths, relief regarding the pope and the misleading statements concerning good works. Is not this the relief which the assembly asked when the battle for dismissal was fought?"

Dr. McKibben said he thought the minority report would be satisfactory to a larger number of presbyteries than the majority report.

**Dr. Brownson's Views.**

Rev. Dr. Marcus A. Brownson of this city opposed both minority and majority reports because, he said, the membership and wealth of the church had increased under the old Confession as he feared it could not be a change made.

"If this assembly is lugged into the revision movement, I will sever my connection with the twentieth century fund," said Dr. Brownson. "This threat elicited reproachful cries of 'Oh!' and 'So!' from the commissioners."

Rev. C. F. Hubbard of Buffalo advocated the rejection of the minority report on the ground that it commits the assembly to a definite position on the question of a summary statement, while the majority report merely asks the assembly to continue consideration of the subject.

Moderator Minton spoke briefly against recommendation B of the majority report. He said the issue now before the church was more important than the one that has been before the assembly during the two preceding days. He maintained that this assembly had broken all precedents in having elected a moderator who did not know the difference between the old and the new school of theology except what he knew from history. He was a child, he said, of the reunited church. For himself, he thought the movement as outlined in recommendation B fraught with the utmost danger. The errors in the Confession of Faith were only incidental, and he believed the minority report offered the relief. He was afraid of the idea of compromise.

There was a time for compromise, but he would earnestly try to get what he wanted before he would turn to a proposition to compromise.

**Dr. Johnson Explains.**

Rev. Dr. Herriek Johnson of Chicago, a member of the committee on revision, explained the reasons of the majority for inserting recommendation B. He carefully analyzed the Confession of Faith and showed the benefits to be derived from a short creed containing the essentials of the Westminster doctrine. He said:

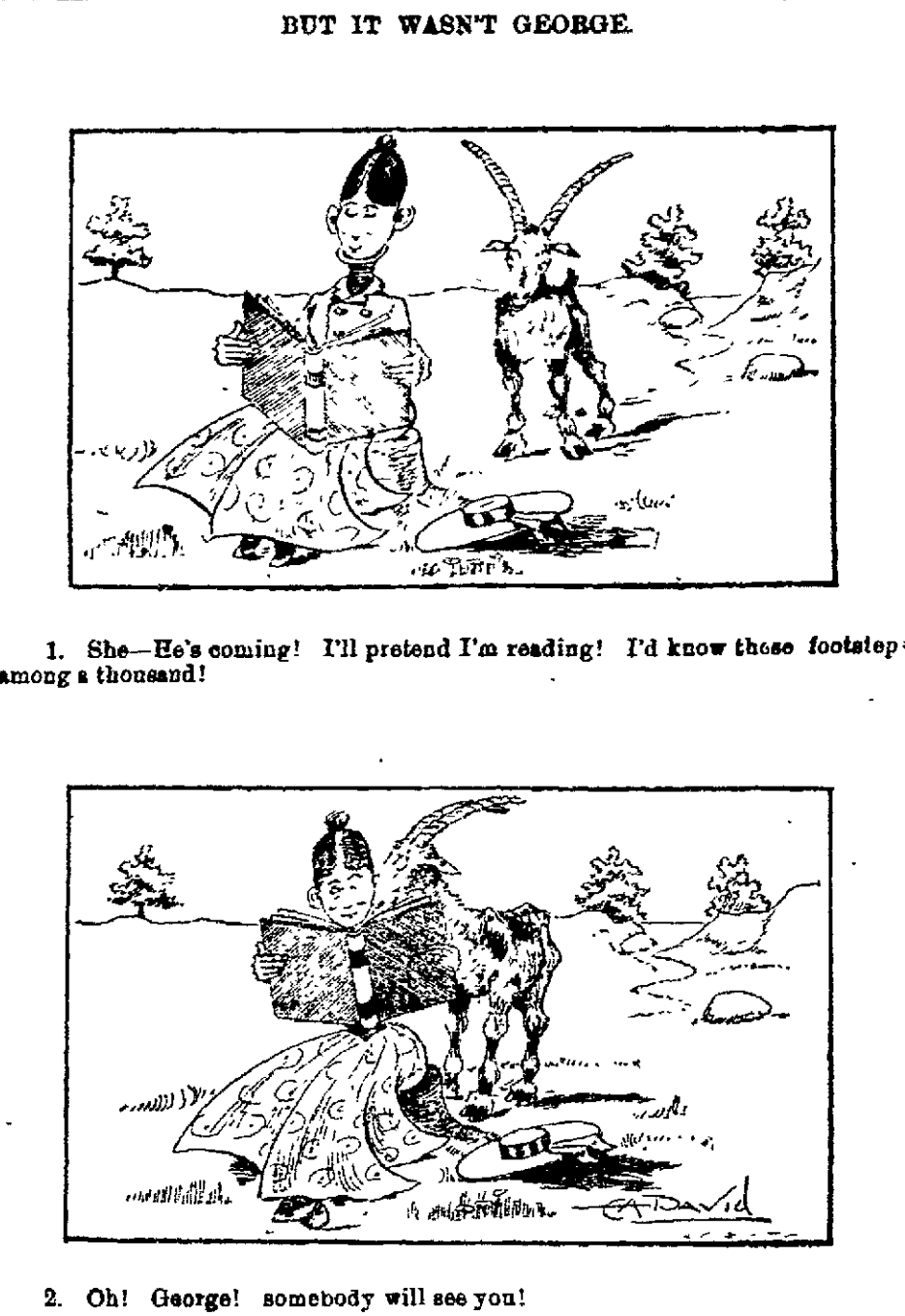
"The Confession contains statements not essential to our system of doctrine. The form of subscription proves this. We receive the Confession as containing the system of doctrine, not as the doctrine itself. Specific Confession statements prove the same point. Take the oath clause. A man may believe that or not without affecting his orthodoxy. The Confession says there are two Scriptural grounds for divorce. I don't believe it. There is only one. We know what that is. Willful desertion is not sufficient ground for divorce. We may believe this, and our standing as orthodox Presbyterians is not questioned."

Dr. Johnson cited the consensus of 1829 and the Confession of the Presbyterian church of England as examples of brief systems of doctrine which might be followed by the assembly.

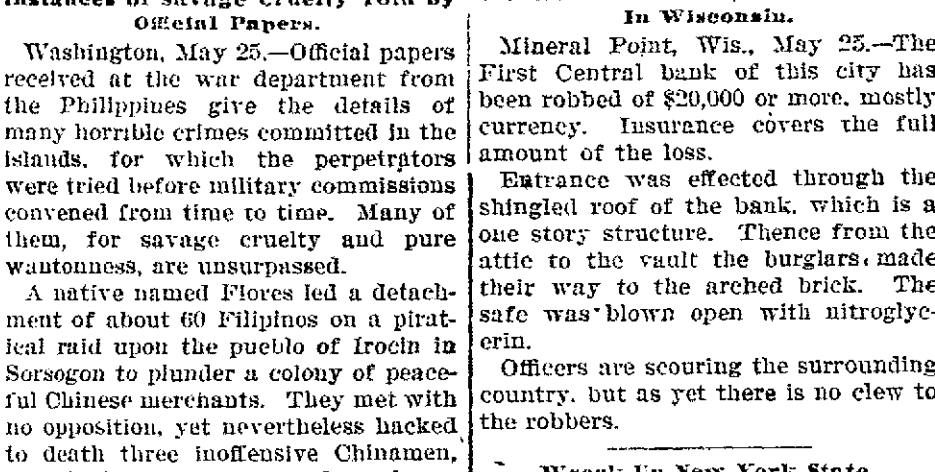
With a summary, Dr. Johnson said, the system would be better understood, would be invaluable on mission fields. Such a creed, he asserted, would dispel all doubt regarding the subscription to the system of doctrine.

**Cotton Cloth Controversy.**

Tall River, Mass., May 25. Reports indicate that from 15 to 18 corporations have pledged themselves to the combination, cancellation and shutdown agreement and that the original provisions have been modified to meet the conflicting interests.



1. She—He's coming! I'll pretend I'm reading! I'd know these footstep among a thousand!



2. Oh! George! somebody will see you!

**PILIPINO ATROCITIES.**

Instances of Savage Cruelty Told by Official Papers.

Washington, May 25.—Official papers received at the war department from the Philippines give the details of many horrible crimes committed in the islands, for which the perpetrators were tried before military commissions convened from time to time. Many of them, for savage cruelty and pure wantonness, are unsurpassed.

A native named Flores led a detachment of about 60 Filipinos on a piratical raid upon the pueblo of Irochin in Sorsogon to plunder a colony of peaceful Chinese merchants. They met with no opposition, yet nevertheless hacked to death three inoffensive Chinamen, assaulted another so murderously as to cause him to lose his left eye and arm and carried off for ransom three other Chinamen, a native and a Spaniard. Flores was sentenced to be hanged.

A native captain of insurgents in the army of the famous Alejandro seized a Filipino in the full vigor of life and had him buried alive.

A native policeman on duty in the pueblo of Misamis, on Mindanao island, was seized by a band of natives, tied to a post and beaten with a gun. He was then taken out on the highway, where his assailants flung him with bolts and pinned on him a paper bearing this inscription:

"Countrymen, don't imitate me, for I am an Americanista and have talked with the Americans."

One victim was made to stand on the brink of a grave dug for him and there stabbed to death.

The reports received at the war department concerning the commissary affairs at Manila make it plain that Major Davis had no connection with or cognizance of the irregularities which were developed. It is stated that there has been no time when General MacArthur or the officers making the investigation desired the presence of Major Davis, as his record was clear.

**THE PAN-AMERICAN CONGRESS.**

Washington Now Hoping That It Will Meet.

Washington, May 25.—The officials of the state department are encouraged in the hope that the pan-American congress at Mexico will meet after all with a full attendance of the republics of the two continents. Exchanges now in progress are in such satisfactory shape that the department expects that Chile on the one side and Peru and Bolivia on the other will compromise their differences.

It appears that there has been some misapprehension of the attitude of the United States in this matter. It is believed that at no time has our government or its representatives on the executive committee of the Bureau of American republics taken sides in this matter.

**A Prophecy by Cervantes.**

Madrid, May 25.—Speaking before the naval congress on the subject of whether or not Spain should be a naval power, Admiral Cervera expressed fears of the disintegration of Spain in to a number of small states. "I do not wish," he said, "that the interests of the navy should predominate at the expense of the other interests of the country; but, observing, as I do, what is going on at the present day, I am afraid Spain may become like the Italy of the middle ages."

**Chenango Farmers in Luck.**

Binghamton, N. Y., May 25.—The sudden rise and fall of the Chenango river at Chenango bridge, a few miles above this city, left great quantities of German carp on the meadows. The villagers were fishing with shotguns, clubs, spears and pitchforks, and farmers brought their wagons. Ten tons is a conservative estimate of the total "catch." Farmers are using the carp for fertilizer. Some of the fish weighed 20 pounds.

**GALE ON GREAT LAKES.**

Loss of Life and Shipping Reported From Different Points.

**STORM RAGED FOR HOURS.**

Greatest Disaster the Wrecking of the Steamer City of Baltimore, in Which Twelve Lives Were Lost.

Chicago, May 25.—Death and disaster, the full extent of which is not known yet, resulted from the gale which raged on the great lakes the past 24 hours. From Chicago to Ogdensburg, N. Y., the storm held sway, and a score of vessels were sunk, wrecked or suffered serious damage.

The reports received from ports on the lakes told only of disasters in their immediate vicinity, and it is feared that other wrecks, with fatalities, occurred at isolated places along the shores. Anxiety is felt for vessels in midlake, which could find no shelter from the gale's fury.

The worst disaster reported was the wrecking of the steamer City of Baltimore off Fish point, ten miles from East Tawas, Mich., in which 12 lives were lost. Two members of the crew lashed themselves to a piece of wreckage and were picked up after six hours in the water. One of these, George McGinnis of Chicago, was made insane by his experience, and his companion narrowly escaped the same fate.

The fishing tug Constance was cut in two and sunk in collision with the steamer C. W. Moore in the river near Menominee, Mich. The crew escaped.

**Schooners Ashore.**

The schooner Montmorency is ashore on Charity island, near Bay City, Mich., and may prove a total loss.

The schooner George Davis is high and dry on Wenona beach, near Bay City.

The steamer City of New Baltimore was damaged in a collision with a tug at Bay City, and the tug Traveler lost part of the raft it was bringing in.

The steamer Pevaukee is stranded on Bois Blanc island, near Cheboygan, Mich., with wheel broken. Assistance has been sent.

The steamer St. Louis and two barges are aground on the head of Strawberry island, near Buffalo. The schooner Sailor sank at Oswego, N. Y., and was badly damaged. In all ports on the lakes many vessels put in for shelter. Many that had started out met the gale and turned back. The storm was declared by marine men one of the worst in 15 years.

**Wreck Up New York State.**

Albany, May 25.—A dispatch was received at the home office of the Delaware and Hudson Canal company announcing that a wreck had taken place on its line between Afton and Nineva, Chenango county. An east bound coal train ran into several empty cars which had been run from a siding to the main east bound track. No one was injured.

**The American Transvaal League.**

Grand Rapids, Mich., May 25.—The American Transvaal league held its annual meeting and re-elected the former officers. The treasurer's report showed that \$729 was disbursed by the national secretary for the benefit of the widows and orphans of Boer soldiers, and \$304 was sent direct to Kruger.

**An Earthquake in Spain.**

Madrid, May 25.—An earthquake has occurred in Malaga. A number of houses were damaged, and a panic was created among the inhabitants. Storms and floods at Puebla de Alcocer, province of Badajoz, have resulted in the loss of two lives and injury to several persons.

**Reading Iron Works Plant Burned.**

Danville, Pa., May 24.—The plant of the Reading iron works at this place was almost totally destroyed by fire last night. The flames were first discovered in the skelp mill and had done much damage before they were subdued. The loss could not be learned last night, but will be heavy.

**Noah's Ark In China.**

A curious Chinese picture is of great antiquity and is supposed to represent Noah's ark resting on the top of Mount Ararat. As is well known, the religious literature of almost every nation and race contains an account of a deluge, and a Chinese manuscript recently unearthed follows very closely the story as recorded in the Bible.

It is particularly interesting in that the roof of the Chinese ark is of the gable variety associated with the Noah's arks which prove such entertaining toys for our youngsters. The Chinese picture, however, shows a double storied vessel, and so far from there being only one window in the roof, there are windows in every possible space. It would be interesting if some Chinese scholar or antiquarian could discover the exact date of the drawing.

In the picture what appears to be the sun is shown in the middle of the water. This is probably meant to show, according to oriental notions, that the water is evaporating.—London Express.

**Salt and Sore Throat.**

Salt, it is said by a well known physician, would be one of the most used remedies were it only more costly, but, being so very inexpensive and likewise always within reach, it is usually overlooked. As a preventive of sore throat, a gargle of salt and water night and morning is highly recommended; this should be especially used by all members of a family in which there is a case of tonsillitis or diphtheria. The addition of a few drops of alcohol makes this gargle one which should be used by any person who desires to strengthen a naturally weak throat.

**CONVULSIONS.**

They Are More Serious For Adults Than For Children.

The sight of a person in convulsions is terrifying, but in the great majority of cases the sufferer is in no immediate danger. Whether or not the convulsion forebodes a serious ending depends upon a variety of causes. As a rule, convulsions are more serious in adults than in children, especially very young children.

Two things are necessary for the occurrence of convulsions—first, an unstable condition of the nervous system—the predisposing cause—and, secondly, some exciting cause sufficient to disorder the weakened nerve centers. The instability of the nervous system is more pronounced in children than in adults and seems often to be hereditary, the members of certain families being more prone to fits than others.

Certain chronic diseases of nutrition, such as rickets, are associated with an irritability of the brain and spinal cord, and convulsions are peculiarly frequent in children suffering from such diseases.

Convulsions in children are very common at the onset of one of the acute fevers, such as scarlatina or measles. At that time the convulsions have no special significance, but when occurring later during an attack of scarlet fever they may point to the existence of a kidney disease. In whooping cough convulsions are sometimes produced in consequence of deficient secretion of the blood, owing to a partial collapse of the lungs.

In children convulsions are perhaps most commonly the result of some disorder of the digestive tract, caused by the presence of indigestible material in the stomach or bowels, or of intestinal worms.

Inflammation of the ear is another common exciting cause of convulsions, but, teething, which is blamed for so many fits, very seldom causes convulsions unless the eruption of the teeth is exceedingly difficult and painful.

In children, as in adults, convulsions may be due to hysteria or to epilepsy. They may be caused by a great shock to the nervous system, such as a severe fright. Meningitis or a tumor of the brain may also cause them, both in children and in adults.

Whatever the cause, it will be safe to put a child with convulsions into a not too hot bath—say at a temperature of about 96 or 97 degrees.

Nerve sedatives are usually prescribed in the hope of preventing a second convulsion, but the cause, if discoverable, must of course be removed.—Youth's Companion.

**CHINESE PERSISTENCY.**

**Why a United States Consul at Canton Bought Sugar Tongues.**

The Chinese servant is a very good one, as a rule, but he has his own ideas of things and is very persistent in urging his opinions upon his employer. A former United States consul at Canton tells the New York Sun a bit of experience bearing upon this point.

"When I first employed my head boy, Wong, says Mr. S., he said, 'Master have no sugar tongues.'"

I merely remarked that I didn't care for sugar tongues.

It is the custom at Canton when one is invited out to dinner to take one's own servant along to assist at the table. Soon after Wong's advent I went to dine with the British consul and took the boy with me. The next morning when Wong was serving my breakfast he said:

"Yelly fine dinner, master."

"Yes," I replied, "it was a fine dinner."

"Blitish consul fine house have got," said Wong. "Have got velly nice table. Have got sugar tongues."

"Yes," I admitted, "the British consul has all that, and he has money to pay for things."

Two days later I dined with the Belgian consul. Wong went with me, and the next morning he praised everything and ended with, "He have got sugar tongues."

"He's welcome to his sugar tongues," I said, "but I don't want any. I don't intend to have any, and you need not say sugar tongues to me again."

Soon afterward I dined at the Italian consul's. On the following morning, as usual, Wong praised the Italian consul's house, his table, his dinner and ended with, "He have got sugar tongues."

I let the vials of my wrath loose upon Wong and threatened to cut off his pigtail if he ever said sugar tongues to me again.

I thought from his meek manner that the matter was settled, but the sequel proved that I did not understand Chinese persistency. Three days afterward Wong came to me and announced:

"Top side Chinaman front side watch see master. Shall show him office side?"

"Yes," I said, "bring him in here."

Soon Wong ushered in a good looking Chinaman who carried a small bundle in his hands. Wong retired. Then my visitor dropped on his knees, opened his bundle and revealed a dozen varieties of silver sugar tongues.

Well, I took a pair, and from that day the words sugar tongues were never mentioned in my house, but I never looked at the tongues without laughing.

**Never to Be Forgotten.**

"No, I never shall forgive him," said old Mr. Slimington, referring to the young man with whom one of his daughters had eloped. "The die is cast."

"But," said the friend who had gone to intercede in behalf of the lovers, "you must admit that his character is good, that he stands high in business circles and that his habits are excellent. Most men would be proud to have such a son-in-law."

"I admit all that. Still, I shall never forgive him."

"Why not?"

"Because he took the youngest and prettiest one in the bunch. Why didn't he run off with one of her older sisters?" —Chicago Herald.

**His Poetry.**

Stubb—I hear that Foley is going to stop writing poetry.

Penn—Yes. The position in which the paper brought out his sonnet discouraged him.

Stubb—Did they run it on the children's page?

Penn—Worse than that. It appeared in the puzzle department.—Philadelphia Record.

**Take away my first letter, take away my second letter, take away all my letters, and I am still the same. What am I?** The postman.

**Many Prussian Miners Killed.**

Berlin, May 25.—A dispatch from Waldenburger Prussia, says that as a result of a fire which broke out in the Hermann mine 21 miners perished.

**DREAMS AND CRIMES.**

**THRILLING MURDER TALES RECORDED IN OLD LAWBOOKS.**

**A Dream That Anticipated a Crime.**  
 A Mother's Tragic Vision—The Remarkable Performance of a Distasteful Corpse.

Law reports of the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries contain numerous references to supernatural occurrences in court and on the scaffold. One of the most remarkable records of this kind is connected with a murder trial which took place in England early in the reign of the first Charles. Sir John Maynard, one of the greatest lawyers, is the authority for the supernatural events of the trial, and in his quaint preface to his notes he says he "thought good to report the evidence which was given, which many did hear, that the memory thereof might not be lost by miscarriage of papers or otherwise."

One Johan Norkett, a farmer's wife, had died, and at the coroner's inquest evidence was given proving that the woman's throat had been cut from ear to ear. At first the jury favored a verdict of felo de se, and the body was interred, but rumors became general pointing to foul play, and the body was exhumed. Thirty days after the death the jury assembled before the body and four suspected persons were brought in. The only evidence against the woman was that she slept in an adjoining room and that no one had passed that room; "therefore, if she did not murder herself, they must be the murderers."

What took place at the remarkable post mortem inquiry may best be described in the words of a witness at the subsequent trial, who was described as "an ancient and grave person, minister to the parish where this matter was concerned, a very estimable gentleman said: 'They (the prisoners) did touch the dead body, whereupon the brow of the dead, which was before a livid and carion color, began to have a dew or gentle sweat arise upon it, which increased by degrees till the sweat ran down in drops upon the face, the brow turned and changed to a lively color, and the dead opened one of her eyes and shut it again, which she did several times, and likewise thrust out the ring or marriage finger three times and pulled it in again, and the finger dropped blood on the floor.'"

Naturally enough such remarkable evidence as this was received with some suspicion by the court, although the witness, to again quote Sir John Maynard, "was a reverend person about 60 years of age, as could be guessed. His testimony was delivered modestly and gravely, but to the great admiration of the auditory."

Ample confirmation of an obviously impartial character was, however, forthcoming, and the "admiration" turned to horror, so much so that the prisoners were convicted, and two of them suffered death at the hand of the common hangman. Neither of the victims, one of whom was an aged woman, could ever be prevailed upon to confess any complicity in the crime.

In 1751 an Irish murderer was convicted largely upon dream evidence. A Waterford publican named Rogers dreamed one night that he saw a man murder another man on a green spot on the summit of an adjoining mountain. He was able next day to describe both men with perfect accuracy, and did so to many of his friends. One of the men was exceedingly strong, the other weak and puny; but it was the latter who in the vision committed the murder. Rogers persuaded the parish priest to accompany him to the spot, which he found without difficulty, but where there seemed to be no traces of a murder or a struggle; hence Rogers got rather laughed at. Next day, however, two men entered the public house, and Mrs. Rogers at once recognized them from her husband's description of the heroes in the vision. Much alarmed, she fetched her husband, who was also certain they were the two men.

When they rose to leave, Rogers begged the one he expected to be murdered to remain, but without avail. He nearly fainted with fright after the men had gone and finally persuaded a neighbor to accompany him to the green spot on the hill, where, sure the men were, the tragedy of the dream had taken place in reality. The murderer was tracked and caught, and Rogers was the principal witness. His recital of his dream was so vivid that the prisoner at once confessed, adding that he killed his companion exactly as foretold in the dream. The weapon used was a knife, and as eight stabs were seen by Rogers in his dream, so the murderer admitted that he drove his knife up the back of his companion's body exactly that number of times.

In 1801 a woman named Kraeme appeared before a Frankfurt justice and asked to be sworn, as she had valuable information about a crime committed in a remote village in Russia, many days' journey from her German home. The story she told the justice was this: Ten years before her only son had left her. She heard nothing of him and had no idea at all where he was living until the night before, when his spirit appeared to her and told her what she now hastened to relate. The revelation was that after leaving home the young man had wandered about Europe till he had finally found permanent work in the village of Kiat, in Russia. Here he had fallen in love with a serf's daughter who had a Russian beauty. On the preceding night this latter had inveigled the young Teuton into the country, where he had stabbed him and then concealed the body in a cave off the highway.

The justice knew that his informant was poor and had never been outside of her native town, and he was so struck with the vividness of her description of victim, assailant and location that he forwarded it to a notary in Kiat.

Months later the young man had been missed, and on the receipt of the dream story the police hunted for the cave, found it exactly as located and also the body, with a wound corresponding with that described in the vision. The murderer was at once arrested, and the Widow Kraeme undertook the long journey to avenge her son's death. Her recital in court was vivid in the extreme, and she screamed with fright when she first saw the prisoner, whom she identified and picked out from among a crowd of men in a dimly lighted cell. She also identified the woman who was at the bottom of the trouble.

**Interurban Raiding.**

"Your town," said the Chicagoan, "he called the City of Strains, I believe."

"Yes," replied the Detroit, "and yours, I suppose, might be known as the City of Crooks."—Philadelphia Record.



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"Noted People I Have Bitten."

**CHAMPAGNE MAKING.**  
Why It Is Not More Extensive in the  
United States.

"What the dickens is the reason," asked  
an inquisitive friend of a well known  
California wine man, "that we can't  
make as good champagne here in the  
United States as they do in France?"  
"Because it doesn't pay," replied the  
wine man promptly. "There is no phys-  
ical reason why we can't do it. We have  
the climate, we have the soil, and the  
champagne grape, grown from imported  
clippings, does just as well here as it does  
in France. But there is no money in the  
business. The situation is briefly this,"  
continued the Californian. "To make  
high grade champagne requires an enor-  
mous investment of capital. After the  
stock is bottled it must mature for sev-  
eral years in subterranean vaults at a  
constant temperature of 45 degrees."  
"In Reims and the other champagne  
districts of France the old Roman cata-  
combs are utilized for that purpose, and  
their existence has undoubtedly made the  
business possible. They are tunneled ten  
miles through solid rock, and if they had  
been excavated for use as wine vaults  
their cost would have been prohibitive.  
You can see, too, on a moment's reflection  
that the ripening stock must be very large  
in order to return a decent profit. It  
must run up into the millions of bottles,  
meaning the tying up of a small fortune  
every season. In France, where the peo-  
ple are educated to solid investments and  
slow returns, that sort of thing is prac-  
tical; but here—no. An American wants  
to turn over his money quickly and won't  
listen to a proposition involving four or  
five years' inaction."  
"Out in my district the winemakers  
have all they can do in supplying the  
market with claret and still vintages, and  
they very naturally argue that they would  
be foolish to sink a lot of money in a  
champagne plant that would bring them  
to a standstill for years. We are making  
a little good champagne in this country  
now and have been doing so for some  
time past, but the reason why we haven't  
entered a field as serious producers is  
the one I have just sketched out."—New  
Orleans Times-Democrat.

**Be Musician as Well as Singer.**  
Possessor of a voice, the first thing  
necessary, if you wish to be a singer, is to  
become a thorough musician. Select your  
teacher with great care, and having se-  
lected him, stick to him if you have faith  
in him, and do not change your instructor  
every two or three months.  
When you begin to sing and know a lit-  
tle, do not go to a musical performance  
to criticize your colleagues, but to learn.  
Take the good away with you; for no  
matter how bad a singer may be there is  
always some good in him. Take the  
good, and leave the bad.  
Try to improve all the time, and with  
that end always in view you will stand in  
no danger of getting an enlarged cranium.  
You cannot expect to please the entire  
public; that would be impossible, but  
satisfy out the faults.  
Modesty is the chief thing with an  
artist. The greatest artists I have ever  
met have been the most modest.  
I made my career with patience; I  
waited.—T. Campanari in Saturday Even-  
ing Post.

**Renewed the story.**  
Husband (after a quarrel with his wife)  
—Well, let us drop it. I don't care to  
have any words about it; and, besides, I  
like to talk to a sensible person when I  
am talking.  
Wife (with a sarcastic laugh)—You  
don't always do it, then.  
Husband—I don't?  
Wife—No. I sometimes hear you talk-  
ing to yourself. (And then the music  
struck up again.)—London Telegraph.

**INDIGESTION.**  
Successful Use of Olive Oil For The  
Disagreeable Malady.

One has only to consider how olive oil  
is used in the warm parts of Europe,  
where the olive is cultivated and how  
much is used in India in order to satisfy  
oneself that olive matter may be taken  
with facility in hot countries as well as  
in cold. You hear nothing about indiges-  
tion in these lands; you find that a bad  
olive harvest or scant supply of olive oil  
is a great national calamity. A Hindoo  
servant of a friend who kept up his In-  
dian habits of eating in London has told  
me that in his own case nothing would  
make up for a deficiency of ghee or but-  
ter, and that his experience in this matter  
was the common experience of his coun-  
trymen at home or away from home. In-  
deed, it may be taken for granted that  
olive oil may be used in large quantities  
throughout the year in hot, olive growing  
countries of the south of Europe, not only  
without making the people bilious or out  
of order in any way, but with unmis-  
takable benefit.  
Dr. Cohnheim at the international medi-  
cal congress detailed his experience with  
large doses of olive oil in cases of severe  
gastric distress. In his first case the  
young man had suffered from an injury  
in the gastric region, and it seemed prob-  
able that an ulcer had resulted. The  
pain on eating was so great as to make  
him avoid food. A winglass of olive oil  
taken before meals gave complete relief.  
The same remedy was tried in other cases  
in which stomach discomfort was a prom-  
inent symptom. Even in cases of gastric  
cancer relief was afforded to many sym-  
ptoms. In cases of pylorus stenosis most  
satisfactory results were secured as far  
as the alleviation of symptoms was con-  
cerned. Cohnheim has treated 12 cases  
of gastric catarrh by this method with  
uniformly good results whenever the pa-  
tients bore the oil well. Patients who had  
lost so much in weight as to appear almost  
cachectic began immediately to gain in  
weight and within a couple of months had  
gained from 15 to 30 pounds.  
Professor Mathieu of Paris said that in  
certain parts of the country, both of Ger-  
many and France, olive oil is used as a  
family remedy for all stomach pains and  
has a high reputation. In his practice at  
the Hospital Andrei Dr. Mathieu has of-  
ten used this remedy and knows how effi-  
cient it is where less simple remedies  
have failed. He recommends it with con-  
fidence, despite the fact that it is a popu-  
lar hygienic rather than a drug medicine.  
—Dr. M. L. H. Brook in Health Maga-  
zine.

**Thoughtful Husband.**  
Parting is hard to bear, and the young  
man who endeavors to soften its pang  
for his bride of a month certainly de-  
serves commendation.  
"And now that our honeymoon is over  
and we are settled in our own home must  
you leave me for three whole days for the  
sake of business, Henry?" asked the  
clinging wife in a tone of reproach.  
"I must, dear Mabel," said the young  
husband, "but to make the separation  
seem less abrupt, I am going on the ac-  
commodation train instead of the ex-  
press."—Youth's Companion.

**Literal Instructions.**  
Mr. Younghusband (recovering from  
indigestion)—This beef tea seems very  
weak, my dear.  
Mrs. Y.—I'm sure it ought to be good.  
I made it according to the doctor's in-  
structions.  
Mr. Y. (inquiringly)—The doctor's?  
Mrs. Y.—Yes, he said half the people  
didn't stew the beef enough to get all the  
goodness out of it. I'm sure I did, for  
the saucepan boiled dry twice, and I had  
to fill it up with water.—London Tele-  
graph.

**Gathering Ammunition.**  
Little Boy (from next door)—Mamma  
said would you please loan her a few of  
your flatirons?  
Mrs. Kinde—Certainly! Mamma going  
to iron today?  
Little Boy—No. She wants them to  
throw at your cats tonight.—Chicago  
News.

The people of Iceland are all poor, but  
there are no paupers, no dependents; all  
are self supporting. There is little or no  
crime there.

**LITTLE BIG HEROES.**  
THE PERSONAL APPEARANCE OF  
SOME GREAT PERSONAGES.

By Far the Larger Part of the Men  
Who Have Ruled the World, Either  
Intellectually or With the Sword,  
Were Small of Stature.

One of the natural instincts of men is  
that curiosity which all feel regarding  
the personal appearance of those per-  
sons who have stood mentally high above  
their fellows. Whenever we read or hear  
of a great man, and especially when we  
are familiar with his history, we uncon-  
sciously form a picture of his looks and  
stature to which the contrast of the ac-  
tual man is often very disappointing.  
Often we refuse to substitute the strange,  
unattractive reality for our own fond  
creation, especially if the great man is found  
to be a small one—the intellectual giant  
a physical dwarf. As a rule we overes-  
timate the height and bulk of our heroes  
and endow them, if attractive, with su-  
perhuman beauty or, if hateful, with  
ugly and repulsive looks. It was this  
feeling which made the people at Yar-  
mouth, England, when Nelson, delicate  
in body and insignificant in appearance,  
was passing over the quay to take com-  
mand of his first ship, exclaim, "Why  
make that little fellow captain?"

During Napoleon's first campaign in  
Italy, in 1796, the Italians were greatly  
surprised at his personal appearance.  
His short stature, his pale face, the sickly  
thinness of his frail body, which seemed  
consumed by the fires of his genius,  
but was in reality made of muscles of  
steel, seized the imagination of the peo-  
ple by the contrast they presented to his  
dazzling feats of arms. It was a novel  
and startling experience to find that di-  
rect and penetrating glance, that abrupt,  
imperious gesture, that laconic speech and  
perceptory and absolute tone—all which  
bespoke the man born to command—asso-  
ciated with such a dwarfish and attenuated  
frame.

It is a singular fact that while nothing  
would seem to be easier than to ascertain  
the exact size of great men yet it is re-  
ally difficult and often impossible to do so.  
How long did "the grand monarch,"  
Louis XIV., pass for a large man, being  
described as such by courtiers and histo-  
rians! Yet the measurement of his skele-  
ton some years after his death revealed  
that he was under the average size. Napo-  
leon III., while on the throne, was de-  
scribed as majestic in figure. We now  
know that he was very short, little more  
than five feet high.

Indeed, for the larger part of the men  
who have ruled the world either intellec-  
tually or with the sword have been men  
of small stature. Aristotle, the Greek  
philosopher who for 2,000 years main-  
tained despotic sway over the world of  
thought, was a slender man with spindle  
shanks, small eyes and a shrill, stammer-  
ing speech. In the great council of Nice,  
consisting of 2,000 delegates, the most  
powerful spirit, who, after long and fierce  
disputes carried the council with him,  
was Athanasius, a man of very small  
stature, "a dwarf rather than a man,"  
says Dean Stanley, "but of almost an-  
gelic beauty of face and expression." In  
his little body dwelt a mighty soul. Com-  
bining subtlety of thought and power of  
eloquence with resoluteness of will, inten-  
sity of conviction and intrepidity of spir-  
it, he fought single handed and for half  
a century the great battle of orthodoxy  
—having "no friend but God and death."

And today the creed of Athanasius is sub-  
stantially the creed of Christendom.  
Gregory VII., the mightiest and laugh-  
iest of the Roman pontiffs, who de-  
throned sovereigns at his will, was a  
diminutive man, and so were Canute the  
Great and the great Conde, Voltaire,  
the literary autocrat of the eighteenth cen-  
tury and the most brilliant wit of the  
ages, was one of the thinnest and most  
spectral of human beings. Two of the  
most potent spirits that directed the storm  
of the French revolution, Robespierre and  
Marat, were far below the average stature.  
The former, an incarnation of will,  
who by the sheer force of his intellect  
swayed the multitude and the national  
assembly at his pleasure, was but five  
feet two or three inches high, and the lat-  
ter was less than five feet. Many of the  
most eminent Frenchmen of the nine-  
teenth century—La Place, Poisson, Fon-  
taine, Thiers, Guizot—were small, spare,  
spiritual beings, who could distinctly  
feel their own ribs.

Montaigne, the father of essayists; Dr.  
Watts, the hymnist; the sickly Scarron,  
who, in reference to his ill health and in-  
significant stature, called himself "An  
abridgment of human miseries," Alexan-  
der Pope, who wore three pairs of  
stockings to plump out his legs to a de-  
cent size and also wore stays; Campbell,  
the author of "Hohenlinden," "a pretty,  
little, delicate, ladylike, finical gentle-  
man," Thomas De Quincey, the "opium  
eater," were all dwarfish men.

Suwarrow, the greatest of Russian gen-  
erals; Frederick the Great, David Gur-  
rick, the wonderful actor, and Alexander  
Hamilton, whom Talleyrand pronounced  
one of the three greatest men he had ever  
known, were slender and below the mid-  
dle height. The brave General Marion  
"was in stature of the smallest size, thin  
as well as low," and Dr. Kane, who sur-  
passed all his arctic companions in brav-  
ing torrid heat and polar cold, was but  
five feet six in height and weighed at his  
best but 135 pounds.

But more dwarfish than any of these  
ghostly beings was that phenomenon of  
the eighteenth century, the Abbe Gallani  
of Naples. "Personally," says Marmon-  
tel, "the abbe—who was but four feet and  
six inches in stature—was the prettiest  
little harlequin that Italy ever produced,  
but upon the shoulders of that harlequin  
was the head of a Machiavelli." Referring  
to the frequent and sudden alterca-  
tions in his conversation, of great, lofty  
sublime thoughts, which, Sainte Beuve  
says, were worthy of Vice, if not of  
Plato, with pleasantries, jests and buff-  
ooneries, the abbe said of himself, "You  
see that I am two different men kneaded  
together, who, nevertheless, do not con-  
tentionally occupy the room of one."—William  
Mathews in Saturday Evening Post.

**The Silt in the Pen.**  
The center slit in a pen is cut by a  
machine which seems almost to think.  
It consists of two chisels which barely  
pass each other when the slit is made,  
and the exact way in which the pen is  
poised so as to place the chisels in the  
proper position for cutting is one of the  
marvels of penmaking.

If you have a present to give a child,  
give it to the oldest. If you get it any-  
way, and by giving it to him you save  
him the trouble of fighting for it.—Atch-  
ison Globe.

**LEGEND FOR ARCTIC NIGHTS.**

How Greenlanders Account For  
Their Long Season of Darkness.

A member of one of the former expedi-  
tions to Greenland tells of a curious tra-  
dition of the Eskimos to account for the  
long arctic night and its intense cold.  
"There was a time," they say, "long  
generations ago, when the sun never set  
on the regions of the north and when the  
strands along the sea were forever hidden  
with mantles of living green."  
"Hence it was that peace and plenty  
fell to the lot of this people and sorrow  
was unknown among them. But one day  
a strange thing came to pass. As the  
people were resting and feasting among  
the trees, as was their custom throughout  
their waking hours, a beautiful canoe, as  
white as ivory, was seen drifting silently  
toward the shore from the direction of  
the castle where dwelt the spirit of the  
winds."  
"Now, when the ivory white canoe had  
floated quite up to the shore, a great awe  
fell upon the people, for there, fast asleep  
among the folds of an ermine robe, lay a  
beautiful maiden, whose skin was as fair  
as the snow flower and whose hair was  
like a mantle of sunshine. But when the  
chief had borne the maiden to the shore  
and questioned her whence she came he  
was troubled in his heart, for she had an-  
swered him:

"I am Delfa, the daughter of the spirit  
of the winds, and I have drifted here  
from yonder snow white castle in the  
north. But I will return there no more.  
Henceforth my home shall be with you  
and your people."

"And immediately the spirit of the  
winds arose in the north and in a terrible  
voice commanded that his daughter be re-  
stored to him immediately. But when the  
people of the tribe sought out their  
chief and counseled him to give the prin-  
cess into her father's hands the youth  
stood mute before them. Then, in obedi-  
ence to a gesture, they entered his ruined  
house, and there on a couch lay the beau-  
tiful princess, with her white hands—  
folded silently over her breast.  
"When the spirit of the winds looked  
forth and beheld the princess cold in  
death on the desolate strand, his anger  
was yet more terrible against the kneel-  
ing multitude, and he commanded dark-  
ness to come upon them. And the ice  
and the cold, and the darkness continued  
for the space of many days before the of-  
fended spirit would relent and suffer the  
sunshine to return for a brief season."—  
Chicago Chronicle.

**LIKE A FUNERAL BELL.**  
The Ghostly Sound Heard on Board  
Ship in Mid-ocean.

Sailors have great respect for the su-  
pernatural. In "A Sailor's Log," pub-  
lished by the Appletons, Rees Admiralty  
Robert D. Evans tells this good "ghost"  
story: "One of our ships had had a very  
curious ghost experience while cruising  
in the Mediterranean which is well  
worth recording. At about midnight,  
when over 100 miles from land and while  
everything was perfectly quiet about the  
deck, the sound of a tolling bell was dis-  
tinctly heard. It could be plainly heard  
by the officer of the deck as well as the  
men, and it continued for several min-  
utes. To the crew it sounded like a fune-  
ral bell, and they decided that some-  
one was going to die."

"With much difficulty the men were  
finally sent to their hammocks and or-  
dered to keep silence. The next morning  
the story was all over the ship, from the  
forecastle to the officers' messes. When  
night came again, many had forgotten the  
incident, but at the same hour the tolling  
of the bell was again distinctly heard,  
and the whole crew gathered on deck to  
listen in superstitious silence. The offi-  
cers were much puzzled, and many  
theories were advanced to account for  
the strange and unusual noise."

"The third night, the captain and all  
hands, officers and men, on deck, de-  
termined, if possible, to find a solution of  
the mystery. At the proper time the  
sound of the bell came clear and dis-  
tinct, tolling as if for a funeral. The  
captain and several of the officers then  
began a careful investigation, which  
soon cleared the matter up. The galley  
of the ship, where the cooking was done,  
was under the topgallant forecastle, about  
20 feet from the ship's bell. The fires in  
the galley were put out at 9 o'clock, and  
it was found that at a certain point in  
the process of roasting the contracting  
of the metal in the galley made it give out  
a cracking noise which accorded with cer-  
tain tones in the bell and caused it to  
ring."

"The very puzzling ghost story was  
solved, and the men went to their ham-  
mocks, many of them still shaking their  
heads and predicting that there was trou-  
ble in store for somebody."

**Mules Versus Horses.**

The chief reason why a mule can near-  
ly always wear out a horse when it comes  
to a trial of endurance is that the former  
always lies down to sleep, and the latter,  
in a large number of cases, sleeps stand-  
ing up. The habit seems to come to  
horses which have been hurt, especially  
when the state of mind, and they cannot be  
broken of it. Besides the absence of  
proper rest and the constant danger of a  
heavy fall and consequent injury, this  
habit of standing up to go to sleep results  
in the giving way of the front knees and  
gives the animal a prematurely aged and  
crippled condition.

A walk through any large stable at  
night will show a number of horses stand-  
ing up, but fast asleep, and whether these  
use three or four legs to stand upon the  
knees of the fore legs are all baggy. With  
a mule, of course, it is quite different, for  
"Jack" lies down the moment he finds  
work is really over, and a somnambulist  
mule is seldom if ever met.

**Patience Does the Trick.**  
When you know you are on the right  
track, do not let any failures dim your  
vision or discourage you, for you cannot  
tell how close you may be to victory.  
Have patience and stick, stick, stick, in  
spite of every hindrance. A Chinese  
student became so discouraged by re-  
peated failures that he threw his book  
away in despair. While in this despond-  
ent mood he saw a poor woman rub-  
bing an iron rod on a stone to make a  
needle. Struck by the wonderful pa-  
tience of the woman, he went back to his  
studies with new determination and be-  
came one of the greatest scholars in Chi-  
na.—Success.

**A Hint.**  
Trump—I'd like to borrow a medical  
almanac, mum.  
Jonskeeper—What for?  
Trump—I want to see what the doctors  
recommend for an empty feeling in the  
stomach.—Exchange.

**IS THIS SO?**  
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utter stranger as readily as that of a  
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haps a neighbor. Read it:

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sistant undertaker at Nickerson's says:  
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but their medicines did me no good. I  
took any quantity of advertised reme-  
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gnawing pains in my back that stuck to  
me nearly the whole time, and a tender-  
ness and soreness over my kidneys that  
made any sudden movement agony.  
Deafness in my ears and that tired feel-  
ing haunted me. I wore more plasters  
than would fill a trunk and yet I did not  
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## For Portsmouth and Portsmouth's Interests

You want local news! Read the Herald. More local news than all other local dailies combined. Try it.

MONDAY, MAY 27, 1901.

Dartmouth is in luck. Tuck and Tucker are great men for the institution.

If you have relatives in Buffalo, perhaps you have written and asked, "How's chances?"

The president is coming east. It is safe to say that he will have to face the wind as he reaches this side of the continent.

Dynamite seems to be a poor bait for the fish that are not caught. It is a poor way to fish, to kill all the fish for the sake of getting half.

Those who believe that the earth is finally to be destroyed by fire are not impressed with the opinion that now is a good time to burn this section of New England.

It is well to remember at this time that thin flannels and pneumonia are in partnership. If you do business with the first, the second may have something to say about the transaction.

Four years in state prison, an hour in the pillory, a fine of \$5,000 and sixty lashes is the sentence of a negro in Delaware for an intent to commit murder. Whether the punishment be severe or not, there is nothing monotonous about it.

Perhaps Italy will now show the sultan how a bill is collected. The dog nation has sent an ultimatum to the sick man of Europe, in regard to reparation for the arrest of an Italian postal agent, and the bill is to be followed by a warship, loaded for business.

Prof. Starr of the University of Chicago says that "parting the hair in the middle is one of the evidences of the alarming and growing degeneracy of the times." Perhaps Prof. Starr is of the opinion that it would be an evidence of the higher life if the hair were not combed at all.

There is a good tone to the reports of the labor situation and business affairs all over the nation. The labor situation is the cloud hovering over the business world, but the difficulties are not sufficiently widespread at present to seriously interfere with the progress of manufacture and distribution. The general situation is still largely a favorable one. Industrial conditions head the list of disturbing features, but confidence in conservatism and good counsel is widespread, and the effect upon general business exerted by the largest number of men idle for several years past, has been apparently minimized. The iron and steel, leather and shoes, lumber and coal trades return the best reports.

### BOOKS AND MAGAZINES.

The Ladies' Home Companion for June is a gem of art and literature. It is one of the finest numbers of this excellent publication ever issued and that is saying a great deal. The leading feature of this number is a magnificent drawing by Howard Chandler Christy, to illustrate an article on diplomatic life abroad. The article is one which gives Mr. Christy an opportunity to show both sides of his genius, that of a limner of beautiful and stately women, and accurate and dashing military figures.

Paul Lawrence Dunbar is the author of the novel in the May Lippincott. It is entitled "The Sport of the Gods and deals with the negro. It is considered the best fiction Mr. Dunbar has yet produced. In addition to this complete novel there are several short stories of merit, including: "The Supreme Court of Love," Julia McNair Wright; "Tony," Jessie Van Zile Belden; and "The Head Marshal of Chicago," James Weber Linn.

## PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION

Buffalo, N. Y., May 1st to Nov. 1st, 1901.

### The Herald's Free Trip Voting Contest

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Write or stamp name of your favorite and mail or send to the VOTING DEPARTMENT, PORTSMOUTH HERALD. Last vote must be in this office at 7:30 P. M. June 5th.

In the Dragon's Grip by Frederick Poole deals with some incidents in the life of a missionary in China. Every Day Superstitions are entertainingly discussed by Charles M. Skinner. Overheard in Arcady is a delightful essay on bird life by Dr. Charles C. Abbott. Much charming verse appears in this number, which is in all respects one of the best that has appeared for some months.

One of the leading features of the May Leslie's is the article on the young Queen of Holland and her recent marriage. The article is richly illustrated with drawings made in Holland especially this magazine. The Trust Builders is the title of an article of unusual interest. It deals with the personnel of the management of the great commercial enterprises of today. Chicago, Our Newest Seaport, is fully described and much interesting information on this subject is given. Several short stories are also noted, including: When Love Was Arbitrator, William McLeod Raine; How the Tobacco Trust Was Bled, S. R. Nelson; Red and White, W. R. Lighton; and the Invisible House, Mrs. Ella W. Peattie. Poems and the usual department complete an entertaining number.

An exceedingly timely and readable article appears in the June Magazine Number of The Outlook, which is its Annual Recreation Number, from the pen of Mr. Gustav Kobbé, on The Connoisseur club and its influence upon American Social Life. Pictures of the Exmoor Club, of Chicago, the Atlantic City Country Club, the Beaver Meadow Club, of Concord, and of many other clubs, East and West, illustrate the article, which gives a most interesting account of many typical country clubs and their healthful influence. \$3 a year. The Outlook Company, 287 Fourth Avenue, New York.

That Everybody's Magazine is the best illustrated of the "ten centers" seems to be conceded. The June issue keeps up the record, for it is full of admirable pictures done by the best artists. The superb illustrations for Maximilian Foster's Black Murders introduce a new man, Frank Wilson Taylor, to the art world. He is really dramatic and forceful and should go far.

The important topics of the month, the world over, are popularly discussed in the current World's Work. The financial boom and panics, the new politics in the South, educational matters in the South and elsewhere, the doings in Cuba, China, the Philippines, the President's trip, and the Pan American Exposition are among a large number of subjects talked of in the March of Events, and in Among the World's Workers are such varied topics as public land, postal statistics, English parcel delivery, bridges, automobiles, trade schools, music, the Y. M. C. A., engineering, butter making, machines, steamers and trains.

### THE DOMINIE.

Out of 555 Japanese students recently questioned 472 declared they were atheists.

Although Mr. Spurgeon has been dead nine years, the weekly publication of his sermons goes on. The Rev. Cyrus Townsend Brady has resigned the rectorship of St. Paul's Episcopal church, Overbrook, Pa., and will become a resident of New York city.

The Roman Catholic bishops of Canada and many of the laity are opposed to the new order giving the papal delegate in the United States jurisdiction over the church in Canada. The venerable Dr. L. Merrill Miller, ex-moderator of the synod of New York and pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Ogdensburg, N. Y., has just celebrated the fiftieth year of his pastorate.

### THE NURSERY.

Don't load a child with heavy clothing. His garments should be warm, but light.

Don't place the baby's crib in a position where the light will fall upon his eyes nor in a draft.

Don't allow a child to sleep with an older person, even with his own mother. His rest will be less disturbed and more beneficial.

Don't forget to air the clothing every day, and remember that a half hour's airing in the open air is equal to a whole morning's in a room.

### THE ROYAL BOX.

The Kaiser has nearly \$250,000 in American debenture bonds. The czar owns almost \$1,000,000 worth of American railway securities.

The latest royal personage to suffer from the automobile craze is King Victor Emmanuel III of Italy, who has just ordered from France a most expensive automobile for his private use.

Prince Edward of Saxe-Weimar has now been in the British army for nearly 60 years. He is one of the tallest princes in the world, standing 6 feet 3 inches in his stockings, and is of proportionate bulk and weight.

The king of England has introduced the practice of having a good sized dinner party every day, in which are included not only the members of the royal family, but all the other guests and several members of the suit. Solitary state does not appeal to him. He is essentially a man who prefers congenial society.

Grand Duke Adolf of Luxemburg, the oldest lay sovereign of Europe, has just celebrated his golden wedding with his second wife. He became Duke of Nassau 62 years ago, was turned out of Prussia in 1866 and became Grand Duke of Luxemburg in 1890 on its separation from Holland at the death of King William III.

### THE COOKBOOK.

Appetizing potato cones are made by mashing cold potatoes with butter and a little milk. Add pepper and salt to taste. Brush over with beaten egg and bread crumbs and bake in a moderate oven till a light golden hue. Serve at once.

A tough veal cutlet is so common that it is accepted at many tables as obligatory. The simple act of scoring a cutlet on both sides with the point of a sharp knife, drawing many fine lines quickly across, accomplishes a remarkable change in the meat after it is cooked.

Richer cakes can be made by mixing four eggs, two cupfuls of sugar, one cupful of butter, four cupfuls of flour, one teaspoonful of baking powder, one-half teaspoonful of nutmeg and three tablespoonfuls of water. Roll the mixture out, cut it into rounds and bake.

### HIVE AND BEE.

Foundation should run about ten square feet to the pound. Buckwheat is a good crop to grow, especially for bee pasture.

Dividing bees into many divisions early in the season is injurious.

Black bees may be easily changed to Italians by simply removing the black queen and introducing an Italian queen in her stead.

There is nothing in the world that will keep worms from getting into beehives unless you have the kind of bees that will keep them out.

Another substance that bees carry is called propolis, or bee glue. It is used by the bees for stopping up crevices in the hives and for giving the inside a complete coating.

## TEARFUL,

Trembling, frightened, she knows not why. Between her sobs she tells her husband of her misery. It is not enough for the husband to comfort the wife in this condition, she needs help. In those early days when the shadow of maternity first begins to fall upon the woman she is often nervous, sleepless, without appetite, and full of vague fears.

The help needed by women at this crisis is fully furnished by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It nourishes the nerves and soothes them. It restores the appetite and induces refreshing sleep. It gives physical strength and mental buoyancy to meet the trial of motherhood, and makes the baby's advent practically painless.

"I will be very glad to say a few words for Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription," writes Mrs. P. S. Douglas, of Mansville, Brome Co., Que. "During the first four months when I looked upon becoming a mother I suffered very much from nausea and vomiting, and I felt so terribly sick I could scarcely eat or drink anything. I had all kinds of food. At this time I wrote to Dr. Pierce and he told me to get his 'Favorite Prescription' and a bottle of 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I got a bottle of each and when I had taken them a few days I felt much better, and when I had taken hardly three parts of each bottle I felt well and could eat as well as any one, and could do my work without any trouble (I could not do anything before). I feel very thankful to Dr. Pierce for his medicine, and I tell all who tell me they are sick to get these medicines or write to Dr. Pierce."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate the bowels.

## PAN-AMERICAN CONTEST.

Last Week of the Printing of the Votes.

Some Big Figures Expected Against the Names of Candidates.

Pan-American Show a Big One And the Trip Worth an Effort.

This is the last week of the printing of the Herald Pan-American votes, the last vote to appear on Saturday next, according to the proposition of the paper.

Some big figures are expected opposite the names of the contestants before Saturday afternoon, for the offer is a pretty liberal one and the trip is worth making an effort for.

The Pan American exposition needs no recommendation. The Herald's offer speaks for itself. The list today is as follows:

The conditions of the contest are as follows, a most liberal offer:

The Portsmouth Herald agrees to send three residents of Portsmouth, who are either members of the Portsmouth fire department, a social club or of some secret society, to the Pan-American exposition, pay all their expenses from the time they leave, until they return, including a week in Buffalo, with board and lodging and admission to the exposition daily.

This offer beats anything ever announced by any newspaper in New England, and is so far above the expense and interest of a trip to the national inauguration that it cannot be mentioned in the same class.

The contest will not be restricted to gentlemen but will be open to any lady who is a member of the various secret societies or auxiliary societies in Portsmouth.

The trip will include stop over privileges en route and returning and first class accommodations will be provided. In order that every detail of the grand tour may be properly looked after, the publishers will either send an agent in advance or with the party to make arrangements.

Everybody knows that the Pan-American exposition at Buffalo is to be grander and greater in every way than the World's fair and the visit will be the event of a lifetime.

The contest opened on Monday, March 4, when the first ballot appeared and which will appear daily until June 1, next, the last ballot to appear on the latter date, and the three persons having the greatest number of votes will have the grand privilege that has been offered. The last ballots must be received at the Herald office by 7:30 p. m., on Wednesday June 5, and the results of the contest will be announced at the earliest possible date.

This is an opportunity never before equalled in this section of the country and well worth the attention of every one eligible for such a trip. Vote early and vote often. Elect yourself.

### Educate Your Bowels.

Your bowels can be trained as well as your muscles or your brain. Cascarets Candy Cathartic train your bowels to do right. Genuine tablets stamped C. C. C. Never sold in bulk. All druggists, roc.

### POWDER AND BALL.

The "army food of the future," it is predicted, will be dried eggs in cans.

In an ironclad of 10,000 tons machinery weighs 1,400 tons and hull 3,400 tons.

Successful tests have been made at Bialay, England, with telescopic "lights," giving effective vision up to a mile and a half.

Boston herself has added just one "L" to her appurtenances.—Boston Herald.

Boston is to revive the custom of the Fourth of July Faneuil hall dinner. A New Yorker shudders at the thought of a banquet four hours long, dinner with oratory beginning at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. But our friends over there are able to stand such things.—New York Sun.

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There was no service at the Christian chapel at Kittery Point on Sunday afternoon, owing to the funeral of Meshach Tobey at the Free Baptist church.

Fruit-Orange Cordial company, organized in Kittery. Capital stock \$100,000, making, buying and selling cordials, compounds and other medical and commercial products. Promoters, Isaac F. Paul, Boston; W. A. Swain, George H. Merrill, Lynn.

E. G. Parker post, G. A. R., of Kittery and relief corps attended services at the Second Methodist church, Sunday morning, Rev. G. C. Andrews delivering an address. One draped chair showed that the post had lost one member during the past year.

C. I. Hood company, organized in Kittery. Capital stock \$1,000,000, preparing and selling pharmaceutical and food preparations and proprietary articles. Promoters, Charles I. Hood, W. Everett, Charles Stickney, George H. Taylor, Lowell, Mass.; Homer Albus, Brookline.

The meeting of the teachers of Kittery, Elliot and York was opened at the Second Christian church at two o'clock this afternoon under the auspices of the York county teacher's association. Instead of holding one central meeting, there are several meetings throughout the county this spring, two or three towns uniting. The weather for the meeting was rather unfavorable, but the teachers were out in force, and many citizens and persons interested in the schools were present. The features of the meeting are the addresses by Hon. W. W. Stetson, state superintendent of schools, this afternoon, and Mr. H. C. Morrison, superintendent of schools of Portsmouth this evening. The program for the day is as follows:

AFTERNOON. Selected Music, The Phonetic System, Alice M. Boulter. A Plea for the Dullard, M. Ellen Walker. Reading, The Student, Edith M. Moulton. The Teacher and the School, G. A. Littlefield. Address, W. W. Stetson, state supt. of schools. Question box, Conducted by W. W. Stetson.

EVENING. Teaching Geography, Ethel C. Frisbee. Music in the Schools, W. S. Fisher. Reading, Selections from Eugene Field, Ella Louise Hill. The Pollard System, H. Abbie Mitchell. Some Methods of Teaching Spelling, Flora E. Stacy. Address, H. C. Morrison, supt. of schools, Portsmouth.

### New Departure

I have a new stock of Wall Papers and Paints Which I can furnish at Lowest Prices. Charles E. Walker, Government St., Kittery, Me.

### State Bread Economy.

A Long Island man who was showing a friend a couple of hunting dogs at his place the other day looked up as he heard the sound of approaching wheels. "Here's the bread man," he remarked, and as his friend gazed in surprise at the open cart laden with bulging sacks, thinking it the strangest baker's outfit he had yet seen, the owner of the dogs bought a barrel of the merchant's stuff.

"It's for the dogs, you know," he explained as the wagon drove off. "Broken up and mixed with other things it makes good food for them. That man does very well with his state bread business. He buys the bread at a low price in the city when it is too old to sell to customers there. But it hasn't reached the dog food stage then by any means. He first retails it as long as he can to the Italians who work on the roads and do all the hard labor hereabouts. I believe they wash it down with beer of about the same state of freshness. Well, when the bread gets so stale that even the Italians can't eat it it is ready to be peddled around among the villages in the neighborhood. The farmers buy it to feed their pigs and chickens, and a good many people use it, as I do, for their dogs, so there is no loss or waste to cut down the dealer's profit."—New York Tribune.

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## PORTSMOUTH'S SECRET AND SOCIAL SOCIETIES.

WHEN AND WHERE THEY MEET.

A Guide for Visitors and Members.

OAK CASTLE, NO. 4, E. C. R.

Meets at Hall, Peirce Block, High St., Second and Fourth Wednesdays of each month.

Officers—Charles E. Oliver, P. C.; Willis B. Mathes, N. C.; Robert M. Herick, V. C.; Frank E. Abbott, H. P.; William H. Hampshire, V. H.; Fred Gardner, K. of E.; Charles W. Hanscom, C. of E.; Samuel R. Gardner, M. of E.; George P. Knight, S. H.

PORTSMOUTH COUNCIL, NO. 2, O. U. A.

Meets at Hall, Franklin Block, First and Third Thursdays of each month.

Officers—Harry Hersum, C.; William P. Gardner, V. C.; Edward E. Voudy, S. Ex.; George D. Richardson, J. Ex.; Frank Pike, R. S.; Frank C. Langley, F. S.; J. W. Marden, T.; Willis Brooks, Ind.; Arthur Farnham, E.

SECOND LODGE, NO. 43, I. O. O. F.

Meets in Odd Fellows' Hall every Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Officers—Albert G. Stimpson, N. G.; Frederick B. Higgins, V. G.; Howard Anderson, Sec.; Edwin B. Prime, Treas.; Albert C. Plumer, Fin. Sec.

The Degree Flag will be displayed when degrees are to be conferred. Watch for it. All brother Odd Fellows not members of the Lodge are cordially invited to attend the Lodge meetings and are assured a cordial greeting.

PORTSMOUTH LODGE, NO. 97, I. O. O. F.

Meets at Hall, Daniel St., Second and Fourth Tuesdays of each month, except Second Tuesday of June, July and August, and Fourth Tuesday of September.

Officers—True W. Priest, E. R. H. B. Dow, T.; L. R. Davis, S.

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### MEN AS THEY PASS.

W. F. Draper, the Lowell mill owner, will live in Italy, to which country he was formerly the American ambassador.

John Nugent of Skowhegan, Me., is 6 feet 9 1/2 inches in height. He has eight brothers and four sisters, all over the six foot mark.

John D. Rockefeller has turned over to his son all matters pertaining to charity, and all appeals for such help are now handled by John D. Rockefeller, Jr.

The new British commander in chief in India, Sir Power Palmer, is an immense man, 6 feet 4 in height, and is familiarly known in Anglo-Indian circles as "Long P."

M. Pobedonostseff, against whom so much of the recent agitation in Russia has been directed, was the schoolmaster of the present czar and has still no small influence over that ruler.

President Loubet of France, if not a majestic, is a dignified figure. There is a twinkle in his eye that denotes good humor, and his short white beard is in keeping with his sensible face.

George F. McCulloch of Muncie, Ind., offers 87 acres for a public park, \$2,500 to improve it and land for a boulevard eight miles along the White river. To clinch the offer the town has only to raise another \$2,500.

Levi P. Morton is seeking to be gradually relieved of the cares of business. The ex-governor and ex-vice president is 77 years old, and besides his advanced age an intention to spend considerable time abroad is a reason for desiring to lessen his business responsibilities.

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### Professional Cards.



EASTERN DIVISION

Winter Arrangement, in Effect Oct. 8.

Trains Leave Portsmouth  
For Boston, 3 30, 7 20, 8 15, 10 53 a. m.  
2 21, 5 00, 7 38 p. m. Sunday, 8 50,  
8 00 a. m., 3 21, 5 00 p. m.  
For Portland, 9 55, 10 45 a. m., 2 45, 8 50,  
9 20, 10 p. m. Sunday, 8 30 a. m.,  
8 55 p. m.  
For Wells Beach, 9 45 a. m., 3 45, 5 25 p. m.  
Sunday, 8 30 a. m.  
For Old Orchard and Portland, 9 45 a. m.,  
2 45, 5 25 p. m. Sunday, 8 30 a. m.,  
North Conway, 9 55 a. m., 2 45 p. m.  
For Somersworth, 4 50, 9 45, 9 55, a. m.  
2 40, 3 45, 5 25, 5 30 p. m.  
For Rochester, 9 45, 9 55 a. m., 2 40, 2 45,  
5 25, 5 30 p. m.  
For Dover, 4 50, 9 45 a. m., 12 20, 2 40,  
5 25, 5 30 p. m. Sunday, 8 30, 10 45 a. m.,  
8 57 p. m.  
For North Hampton and Hampton, 7 20,  
8 15, 10 53 a. m., 5 00 p. m. Sunday,  
8 00 a. m., 5 00 p. m.  
Trains for Portsmouth  
Leave Boston, 7 30, 9 00, 10 10, a. m.,  
12 30, 3 30, 4 45, 7 00, 7 45 p. m. Sun-  
day, 4 30, 8 30, 9 00 a. m., 6 40, 7 00 p. m.  
Leave Portland, 2 00, 9 00 a. m., 12 45,  
6 00 p. m. Sunday, 2 00 a. m., 12 45 p. m.  
Leave North Conway, 7 25 a. m., 4 15 p. m.  
Leave Rochester, 7 19, 9 47 a. m., 3 50,  
6 25 p. m. Sunday, 7 00 a. m.  
Leave Somersworth, 6 35, 7 32, 10 00 a. m.,  
4 05, 6 39 p. m.  
Leave Dover, 6 50, 10 34 a. m., 1 40, 4 30,  
8 30, 9 25 p. m. Sunday, 7 30 a. m.,  
9 25 p. m.  
Leave Hampton, 9 22, 11 53 a. m., 2 13,  
4 50, 6 16 p. m. Sunday, 6 26, 10 06 a. m.,  
8 09 p. m.  
Leave North Hampton, 9 28, 11 59 a. m.,  
2 19, 5 05, 6 21 p. m. Sunday, 6 30,  
10 12 a. m., 8 15 p. m.  
Leave Greenland, 9 35 a. m., 12 05, 2 25,  
5 11, 6 27 p. m. Sunday, 6 35, 10 18 a. m.,  
8 20 p. m.

SOUTHERN DIVISION

PORTSMOUTH BRANCH

Trains leave the following stations for  
Manchester, Concord and interme-  
diate stations:

Portsmouth, 8 30 a. m., 12 45 5 35 p. m.  
Greenland Village, 8 39 a. m., 12 54, 5 38  
p. m.  
Rockingham Junction, 9 04 a. m., 1 07  
5 53 p. m.  
Epping, 9 22 a. m., 1 21, 6 14 p. m.  
Raymond, 9 32 a. m., 1 32, 6 24 p. m.  
Returning leave  
Concord, 7 45, 10 25 a. m., 3 30 p. m.  
Manchester, 8 30, 11 10 a. m., 4 20 p. m.  
Raymond, 9 10, 11 48 a. m., 5 02 p. m.  
Epping, 9 22 a. m., 12 00, 5 15 p. m.  
Rockingham Junction, 9 47 a. m., 12 17,  
5 53 p. m.  
Greenland Village, 10 01 a. m., 12 29, 6 08  
p. m.  
Trains connect at Rockingham Junc-  
tion for Exeter, Haverhill, Lawrence  
and Boston. Trains connect at Man-  
chester and Concord for Plymouth,  
Woodville, Lancaster; St. Johnsbury,  
Newport, Vt., Montreal and the west.  
Information given, through tick-  
ets sold and baggage checked to all  
points at the station.  
D. J. FLANDERS, G. P. & T. A.

York Harbor & Beach R. R.

Service Resumed April 29, 1901.

Leave Portsmouth, 8 40, 10 50 a. m., 2 50,  
5 50 p. m.  
Leave York Beach, 6 25, 10 00 a. m., 1 30  
4 05 p. m.  
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U. S. NAVY FERRY LAUNCH NO. 132.

GOVERNMENT BOAT,  
FOR GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

Leaves Navy Yard—8 30, 8 40, 9 15,  
10 00, 10 30, 11 45 a. m., 1 35, 2 00, 3 00,  
4 00, 5 00, 5 45, \*7 45 p. m. Sundays,  
10 00, 10 15 a. m., 12 15, 12 35 p. m.  
Holidays, 9 30, 10 30, 11 30 a. m.  
Leaves Portsmouth—8 30, 8 50, 9 30,  
10 15, 11 00 a. m., 12 15, 1 45, 2 15, 3 30,  
4 30, 5 30, 6 00, \*10 00 p. m. Sundays,  
10 07, a. m., 12 05, 12 25, 12 45 p. m.  
Holidays, 10 00, 11 00 a. m., 12 00 m.  
\*Wednesdays and Saturdays.

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Open the Entire Year.

Favorite stopping place for  
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If you are on a pleasure drive you  
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SEA VIEW,  
HAMPTON BEACH.

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FISH DINNERS.

Most beautifully situated hotel on the  
 coast. Particular catered to.

JOHN CUTLER, Proprietor

"The late Alexander Herrm. I always  
went fixed for an impromptu exhibition,"  
said a theatrical press agent who was  
once associated with the famous magi-  
cian, "and in the early part of his car-  
eer he would go to extraordinary pains  
to 'lay his fingers' long in advance for  
startling effects. In that way he was  
frequently able to do things that the  
next door to supernatural and the result  
was no end to valuable advertising. In  
later years, when he became celebrated  
and systematic booming was no longer  
necessary, the old man, as we used to call  
him, would often refer to these exploits  
and laugh heartily over the mystification  
they had occasioned."

"On one occasion, to give you an illus-  
tration of his patience and forethought,  
he was in a popular bar in Pittsburgh and  
chanced to notice a bankbook lying on a  
desk behind the cigar counter. The cover  
bore a printed number, which was in  
plain sight, and when he got outside  
Herrmann quietly made a memorandum  
of it in his notebook, together with the  
address of the place. There was not more  
than one chance in a hundred that the  
information would ever be of any  
service to him, and he simply filed it  
away, so to speak, for possible future  
reference."

"Well, fully six months afterward,  
when he was playing a return date in the  
city, he piloted a party of friends one day  
into this identical bar, and the proprietor,  
who was present, was called up and in-  
troduced. All hands sat down at a table  
to have a bottle of wine, and, as usual,  
Herrmann was urged to give an example  
of his skill. He performed several neat  
tricks, and, remarking that he would  
wind up with a little exhibition of mind  
reading, asked the cafe proprietor to  
think of some number that could after-  
ward be verified. 'Take the number of  
your bankbook,' he suggested, 'if you re-  
member what it is.' 'I don't recall it off-  
hand, but I can easily find out,' said the  
barman, and going over to his safe he un-  
locked an inside compartment and pri-  
vately inspected the book. 'All right,' he  
said when he returned to the table; 'I am  
thinking of the number now.'"

"Herrmann took him by the hand,  
looked him in the eyes in his peculiarly  
impressive fashion and said, 'The num-  
ber is 129088.' 'That's right,' gasped the  
cafe proprietor in an awestruck voice.  
He was absolutely stupefied with amazement, and so, for that matter, were the  
others in the party. The fact that the  
book had been locked in the safe and the  
apparent impossibility of Herrmann  
knowing anything about it in advance  
made the feat seem almost miraculous.  
It is talked about in the house to this  
day."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

THRIFT VERSUS MEANNESS.

Young People Should Save Money,  
but Not Too Industriously.

Most young people are not willing to  
give money. As it costs them little or  
nothing they are lavish in spending it.  
This is a great mistake. All should try  
to save money and never spend it with-  
out a reason or without getting some-  
thing worth what they pay for. They  
will not always have parents to take care  
of them. As they grow up they will need  
money. Young men need it, and young  
women need it. Persons should rarely or  
never marry unless they have some money  
saved or are receiving so much for their  
labor that they can take care of them-  
selves if they should for awhile be  
sick. Those who do not marry and save  
nothing are in a pitiable condition when  
old age overtakes them or sickness pre-  
vents them from working or leaving their  
homes.

Once in a great while a youth is found  
with a morbid desire to hoard. Person-  
ally we have known but few such, but in  
them the habit grew until they became  
notorious for meanness. A story is told  
of a celebrated bishop who grew so mean  
that one day when he cut his finger with  
a penknife and no court plaster could be  
found a clergyman standing by brought  
out his cardcase and took from it a 5  
cent stamp and gave it to the bishop to  
use to stop the flow of blood. The bishop  
accepted it gratefully, placed the 5 cent  
stamp in his own cardcase and then took  
out a 1 cent stamp and pasted it over the  
still bleeding wound. This seems almost  
too much to believe.

But a celebrated minister in New Eng-  
land was offered a hat by a hatter who  
was a friend of his and who admired him  
in most respects. He asked him if he had  
another kind. "Yes," he said, "though  
not quite so good as that." He said he  
would like to see one and asked what the  
price of the first one was and was told  
\$5 and of the second \$3. "Well," said he,  
"as you offered me the first one, if I  
should take the second would you give  
me the difference in money?" A young  
person should not be a spendthrift, nei-  
ther should he be stingy.—Christian Ad-  
vocate.

"Mr. Untidy," began his talented  
young wife one night as she stood knee  
deep in a bowl of dough, "can you tell  
me one thing?"

"I certainly can," grumbled the am-  
bitious husband, who was standing in the  
corner peeling some of the apples which  
had been sent to them by his mother-in-  
law up in Podunk.

"Tell me, then," continued the good  
woman, puffing off a small piece of the  
pasty mixture for Wilfred to play with,  
"the proper season of the year in which  
to pick apples?"

"Let's see," scowled Mr. U. "didn't  
Eve pick them just before the fall?"

And immediately after this utterance  
a frightful noise evolved from the parlor,  
where Wilfred was trying to take the  
temperature of the cat's ear with a piece  
of dough, despite the feline's unceasing  
skirmishes.—New York Herald.

The Honeymoon Out of Style?  
Honeymoons seem gradually disappear-  
ing. Their days are shortened, their se-  
verity is being modified. The fortnight  
of our grandmothers' honeymoons has  
merged into a few days, and during that  
time all kinds of amusements are ad-  
missible. We read of brides going out  
hunting, attending theaters (abroad, in  
this case), paying visits and otherwise  
mitigating the seriousness of the tete-  
a-tete until it is quite possible that we may  
be approaching the extinction of the hon-  
eymoon.—London Graphic.

An Ecceit.  
Henry L. Clapp, in a company of good  
fellows, once said of a well known editor  
who was constantly impressing people  
with his own importance, "Yes, he is a  
self made man, and he worships his cre-  
ator."

Presidential Party Leaves Frisco For  
Washington.

TRAIN WILL RUN SLOWLY.

On Account of Mrs. McKinley's Con-  
dition No Attempt at Fast  
Time Will Be Made on  
the Journey.

San Francisco, May 25.—President  
McKinley, accompanied by his wife  
and members of his cabinet, has started  
for Washington.

Special precautions were taken to  
prevent any annoyance while the presi-  
dent and his wife were driven to the  
ferry. Their carriage was closed and the  
curtains lowered. A route has been  
chosen that will secure perfect com-  
fort for Mrs. McKinley. The party was  
taken to Oakland on a special boat.

Dr. Rixey accompanied the president  
and his wife in the carriage from the  
house at Clay and Laguna streets to the  
special train at Oakland Hole and  
will be at the side of Mrs. McKinley  
constantly. The two trained nurses  
who have attended the patient in this  
city also go to Washington with her.

The president's train will be in charge  
of General Manager Kutschmitt of the  
Southern Pacific as far as Ogden.

The following is the eastward route  
of President McKinley's train:  
Central Pacific to Ogden, Union Pa-  
cific to Omaha, Chicago and North-  
western to Chicago, Pennsylvania rail-  
road to Washington.

The journey will be made slowly on  
account of the condition of Mrs. Mc-  
Kinley. The large cities on the route  
of travel eastward will be passed  
through without stopping.

TO FORM NEW CHURCH.

Rev. H. C. C. Astwood Issues Call For  
Conference in Brooklyn.

Harrisburg, May 25.—Rev. H. C. C.  
Astwood, the deposed pastor of the  
Bridge Street A. M. E. church of  
Brooklyn, has issued a call for a con-  
ference of regularly ordained clergy-  
men to be held at Brooklyn Sept. 2 for  
the formation of the Colored Protestant  
Episcopal church. The call states that,  
as the church will be ritualistic, none  
but men of high moral and literary at-  
tainments need apply.

Dr. Astwood has decided not to bring  
suit to revoke the action of the Phila-  
delphia conference in expelling him  
from membership. He will, however,  
bring a suit for damages in Brooklyn  
against the trustees of the Bridge  
Street church who preferred charges  
against him of insubordination, con-  
duct unbecoming a minister and mis-  
applying church funds.

Dr. Astwood gave out a long state-  
ment during the day denying the  
charges and claiming that they were  
instigated by the friends of Bishop  
Smith, whose election he opposed at the  
last session of the conference.

Dr. Astwood was for seven years  
United States consul to Santo Domingo  
and is one of the most prominent  
colored men in the country.

The Gilman Case.

Hartford, May 25.—A motion will be  
heard in the United States court here  
Monday for an order referring to a  
master the bill of complaint in the suit  
of Helen Potts Hall against the Bridge-  
port Trust company as administrator  
of the estate of the late George F. Gil-  
man, the wealthy tea merchant of  
Black Rock. The defendant takes ex-  
ception to the bill of complaint on the  
ground of impertinence, and the excep-  
tions are on file.

Great Storm in Western States.

Salt Lake, May 25.—A heavy wind-  
storm has been sweeping over Nevada,  
Utah, southern Idaho and Wyoming,  
the velocity at times reaching 50 miles  
an hour and over. The storm has re-  
sulted in the complete prostration of  
telegraph and telephone service in all  
directions. Meager reports from out-  
side cities tell of uprooted trees, wrecked  
buildings and other damage.

Brutal Assault by Chicago Thugs.

Chicago, May 25.—As Lewis W.  
Stone, a wealthy real estate owner, en-  
tered the barn at his home, 4316 Michi-  
gan avenue, to feed his cow he was  
beaten, choked into insensibility and  
robbed. The robbers had expected to  
find \$1,000 in his pocket. The assault  
may cost the life of the hale old man,  
but the cash results to the robbers  
were only \$11.

Architects' Convention Ends.

Philadelphia, May 25.—The third and  
last day's session of the third annual  
convention of the Architectural League  
of America was held. The most inter-  
esting paper of the day was the report  
of the national committee upon mu-  
nicipal improvement, of which H. K.  
Bush-Brown of New York is chairman.

Found Dead in Canal.

Lyons, N. Y., May 25.—The body of  
Joseph Fingler, an inmate of the alms-  
house, has been found floating in the  
Erie canal porthouse lock. Fingler,  
who was afflicted with fits, started on  
Tuesday to visit relatives. It is sup-  
posed he fell into the canal in a fit and  
was drowned. He was 70 years old.

Alexander McKenzie Pardoned.

Washington, May 25.—The president  
has pardoned Alexander McKenzie,  
now confined in the jail at Oakland,  
Cal., for contempt of the circuit court  
of appeals for the Ninth circuit.

General Grant in Chicago.

Chicago, May 25.—Brigadier General  
Fred Grant has arrived here from San  
Francisco. He will remain here a few  
days as the guest of Mrs. Potter Pal-  
mer, his sister-in-law.

Outburst of an English Paper Over  
His Latest Great Gift.

London, May 25.—We trust in Scot-  
tish pride to rise in its wrath against  
this invasion of the almighty dollar,"  
says The Review of the Week, com-  
menting on Andrew Carnegie's munifi-  
cence to Scotland's universities.

"Many of the oldest and best families  
in Scotland," continues the periodical,  
"send their sons to Scottish universi-  
ties, where they pay the fees, like the  
sons of their humblest neighbors, nei-  
ther more nor less. Is it to be believed  
that this will continue if the fees are  
paid for them by Mr. Carnegie? Im-  
agine the Duke of Hamilton, Cameron  
of Lochiel or Macdonald of the isles  
allowing his heir to get education at  
the cost of an American ironmonger!"

"We shall next hear of some Chicago  
pork packer proposing to buy up Ox-  
ford and Cambridge and dictating  
terms of admission and the subjects to  
be taught, or of Boss Croker forming  
a lobby to control the London univer-  
sity, with the object of inculcating  
Tammany principles in the mind of the  
rising generation of cockneys."

The St. James' Gazette in an editorial  
headed "The Anglo-Saxon Millennium,"  
commenting on a pessimist's pro-  
posal that "Yankee Doodle" be made  
the national anthem, that the Ameri-  
can language be made compulsory in  
the schools and that the coronation of  
J. Pierpont Morgan be arranged for  
June or July next, says:

"But there is a bright side of the  
Americanization of this insignificant  
country. It ought to make war im-  
possible. How can the patriotic  
American suffer from anglophobia  
when he loves England so much that  
he wants to be her owner? How could  
he sink merchant ships in which his  
own money is invested? War would  
ruin his industrial enterprises, stage,  
press and locomotive companies, phi-  
lanthropic schemes, aristocracy, race  
riding—in face, everything except our  
agriculture, which has ceased to exist."

EUROPE'S WHEAT OUTLOOK.

Crop in Balkan States Promises Well  
and Also in Algeria.

London, May 25.—The Mark Lane  
Express, commenting upon adverse  
weather conditions, says:

"At present there is no probability of  
the wheat harvest beginning in July  
even in Sussex and Thanet, while in  
East Anglia it is not likely to be gar-  
thered before the third week in August.  
The present cereal year, therefore, will  
have to find food for 55 weeks.

"Reports from Austria-Hungary show  
over an average wheat promise in the  
Austrian Tyrol, Hungary, Bohemia and  
Silesia, a fair average in Croatia and  
Bosnia and below the average in Gal-  
icia and Transylvania.

"In Algeria the harvest is beginning,  
and a good yield is anticipated."

Suspended Cadet Sees Root.

Washington, May 25.—James A.  
Shannon, one of the cadets suspended  
for one year as the result of disorders  
at West Point, saw Secretary Root at  
the war department. Mr. Shannon was  
unaccompanied by friends and called  
in his own behalf. He desired to see  
the testimony upon which the suspen-  
sion was made. The secretary told  
him he would examine the evidence  
and if he decided that Mr. Shannon  
was entitled to a copy of it it would be  
furnished him.

Suffrage in Norway.

Christiania, May 25.—After consulta-  
tions both the lagthing and oldething  
(respectively the upper and lower house  
of the Norwegian parliament) have  
passed the bill providing for universal  
communal suffrage for men and giving  
the suffrage to women paying taxes on  
an annual minimum income of 300 kro-  
nen in rural districts and 400 kronen  
in towns or owning property jointly  
with their husbands who pay taxes on  
such incomes.

Mrs. Perot Renarrried.

London, May 25.—Neptune Blood,  
a brother of Lady Collin Campbell, has  
been married to Mrs. Letitia Perot, the  
divorced wife of William Yates Perot  
of Baltimore, in London. Blood ac-  
companied Mrs. Perot from the United  
States when, it was alleged, she ab-  
ducted her daughter Gladys from the  
custody of her father-in-law, William  
H. Perot, the Baltimore millionaire, in  
1890.

Brave Firemen Successful.

Springfield, Mass., May 25.—Twenty-  
five firemen worked with desperate en-  
ergy to save seven struggling horses  
from the Springfield Lumber com-  
pany's barn, which, with the company's  
boiler room, dry kilns and planing mill,  
was badly gutted by fire. The effort  
to save the horses' lives was made  
when the barn was a mass of flames  
and was successful.

Coxe's Boiler Makers Strike.

Hazleton, Pa., May 25.—The boiler  
makers in the Drifton shops of Coxe  
Bros. & Co. are on strike because of the  
failure of the company to pay them  
overtime to which they claim they are  
entitled. Union leaders threaten to  
call out the other departments of the  
shops if the strike is not settled.

Robertson Strike Ended.

Shamokin, Pa., May 25.—A. Robert-  
son & Co., operating the Corbin and  
Excelsior collieries, have agreed to  
hereafter pay their employees semi-  
monthly, whereupon the strike of 1,000  
men and boys has been declared off.  
The employees will resume work on  
Monday.

The Fate of Valkyrie III.

Glasgow, May 25.—The Valkyrie III,  
Lord Dunsavon's yacht, defeated by  
the Defender in the 1895 contest for  
the America's cup, which is lying in  
Gourock bay, is to be broken up Mon-  
day next.

King's Troops Laid an Ambush For  
Joubert, but Were Beaten.

London, May 25.—A dispatch from  
Standerton, Transvaal, says a detach-  
ment of the Queen's Mounted Infantry  
laid an ambush near Amersfort. Com-  
mandant Joubert, the magistrate and  
a party of burghers rode into the town  
and refused the British demand that  
they surrender and attempted to es-  
cape. The British thereupon fired on  
them, wounding Commandant Joubert  
and the magistrate. Reinforcements  
came to the aid of the Boers, and the  
British were compelled to retire, with  
the loss of three prisoners.

A dispatch from Kenhardt, Cape Col-  
ony, says a commando of Boers under  
the Free State Commandant Conroy  
were marching to attack Kenhardt  
when they encountered a patrol of bor-  
der scouts who were entrenched at  
Farmstead. The Boers attempted to  
storm Farmstead, and the engagement  
lasted five hours. The Boers had 15  
killed and left 17 wounded, including  
Field Cornet Jansouw, on the field. The  
British had one wounded.

General Rundle has captured The-  
ron's Mill, a strong position near Fou-  
riesberg.

The Chronicle says it learns that  
three British officers and about a hun-  
dred noncommissioned officers and men  
who were sent back from South Africa  
for various misdemeanors are now in  
Portland prison. A majority of the  
prisoners are apparently ordinary of-  
fenders, but the officers, it is said, were  
convicted of treasonably siding with  
the Boers. One of them is sufficiently  
influential to procure the suppression  
of the names of all three. Attempts to  
discover their identity have hitherto  
failed.

HARTZELL ON THE FUTURE.

Famous Missionary Bishop Believes  
Great Religious Crisis is Near.

London, May 25.—Bishop Joseph C.  
Hartzell, missionary bishop of the  
Methodist Episcopal church in Africa,  
who has been invalided to London after  
a trip to the west coast of Africa,  
returns to Africa shortly to take an ex-  
tended survey of his diocese. Bishop  
Hartzell, judging from his experiences  
during his recent sojourn at the west  
coast and the reports from China and  
other parts, is inclined to take pes-  
simistic views. He said:

"There is a world crisis in progress  
in Christianity and civilization. We  
are face to face with conditions never  
before encountered. Missionaries and  
explorers have gone to the farthest cor-  
ners of the earth and have routed out  
what may almost be termed the oldest  
and most secluded peoples. They  
stand in defiant championship of their  
ancient creeds and territory.

"All through Africa I have seen signs  
of this revolt of the barbaric nations.  
England is experiencing it in Ashan-  
ti. All along the west coast, so rich  
in gold and so rapidly being invaded  
by European capital, the natives need  
but a spark to set alight aggressive fa-  
naticism that years could scarcely sup-  
press.

"Take Liberia, for instance, where  
live so many of our own negroes. In-  
land there are a million natives, who, if  
they wished, at any moment could  
drive our settlers into the sea. My  
only wonder is that they are as peace-  
ful as they have been."

Chapelle Given an Audience.

Rome, May 25.—The pope received in  
audience Mgr. Chapelle, the papal de-  
legate in the Philippines, and had a long  
conversation with him on questions af-  
fecting the religious orders in the Phil-  
ippines.

Miner's New Title.

London, May 25.—Sir Alfred Milner  
on his elevation to the peerage takes  
the title of Lord Milner of Cape Town.

The Weather.

Fair; cool; northerly winds.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Closing Quotations of the New York  
Stock Exchange.

New York, May 25.  
Prime mercantile paper, 4 1/4% per cent. Ster-  
ling exchange nominal, with actual business in  
bankers' bills at \$1.89 1/2 for demand and  
at \$1.94 1/2 for 60 day. Postal notes, 81 1/2%  
and 81 3/4%. Commercial bills, 80 1/2% to 81 1/4%. Silver,  
66 1/2%. Mexican dollars, 45 1/2%. Government bonds  
weak. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds  
steady.  
Closing prices:  
Atchafalpa, 77. Northern Pacific, 57.  
C. C. & F., 81 1/2. Northern Pacific, 57.  
Chowchuck, 40. Du Pont, 9 1/2.  
Cotton Oil, 87 1/2. New York Central, 15 1/2.  
D. & Hudson, 102 1/2. Ontario & Western, 25 1/2.  
Erie, 42 1/2. Reading, 42 1/2.  
Hocking Valley, 47 1/2. Rock Island, 15 1/2.  
Lackawanna, 82 1/2. Sugar Refining, 117 1/2.  
Lake Shore, 230. Texas Pacific, 40 1/2.  
Lead, 10 1/2. Union Pacific, 10 1/2.  
Louisville & Nash, 10 1/2. Wabash preferred, 42 1/2.  
Manhattan Co., 11 1/2. Western Union, 42 1/2.  
Missouri Pacific, 10 1/2.

General Markets.

New York, May 25.  
FLOUR—State and western inactive and barely  
steady. Minnesota patent, 4 1/2% to 4 3/4%  
straight, 85 1/2% to 86 1/2% winter extra, 42 1/2% to 43 1/2%  
winter patents, 35 1/2% to 36 1/2%.  
WHEAT—Opened about steady and was ex-  
ceedingly dull all the forenoon; cold weather in  
the



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**The Herald's Great Offer?**

**THE HERALD.**

MONDAY, MAY 27, 1901.

**CITY BRIEFS**

Yesterday was Pentecost Sunday. It was a most beautiful Sabbath day. Rather cool on the open cars, Sunday.

Parties out for a stroll were numerous after church.

Who repairs your shoes? John Mott, 34 Congress St.

Fire escapes may be placed on the Cottage hospital.

The camera enthusiast is commencing to get in his work.

The first of the hardy gurdies has made its appearance.

The Country club grounds were alive with people on Sunday.

The churches were full of Memorial day thoughts on Sunday.

Rev. Alfred Gooding preached in Newington on Sunday afternoon.

"I would as soon think of doing business without clerks as without advertising," John Wanamaker.

At last the Saturday and Sunday weather hoodoo seems to have lost its grip.

Miss Martha Leavitt sang at the Sunday morning services at the Unitarian church.

The new grounds of the Country club continue to attract a large number of people on pleasant days.

The local police are in receipt of circulars describing an embezzler who is wanted by English authorities.

The boulevard commission meets today, (Monday), to decide what piece of road will be built this season.

This (Monday) and Tuesday mornings there will be divine service in St. John's chapel at half past ten o'clock.

A collection for the poor of the parish was taken up at the Church of the Immaculate Conception on Sunday.

The regular celebration of Pentecost was observed at the Church of the Immaculate Conception on Sunday.

You should not feel tired all the time—healthy people don't—you won't if you take Hood's Sarsaparilla for a while.

The Herald is having good success driving fake eye specialists and other travelling fakirs from trying their luck in this city.

Monarch over pain. Burns, cuts, sprains, stings. Instant relief. Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil. At any drug store.

The Johnson Slot Machine company of Boston was organized in this city last Friday. B. Frank Webster acted as the company's attorney.

Several candidates will receive degrees at a meeting of the Ineffable Grand lodge of Perfection next Friday evening, in Masonic hall.

The King's Daughters of the Middle street Baptist church are to hold a strawberry festival in Peirce hall this (Monday) evening.

Secretary W. F. Hoehn of the Y. M. C. A. occupied the pulpit of the Pearl street church on Sunday morning, and a male quartette sang.

The Haverhill Gazette says that "Frank Leonard of Portsmouth, N. H." was fined in the Saturday police court there for being drunk.

All the healing, balsamic virtues of the Norway pine are concentrated in Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, nature's own remedy for coughs and colds.

The Newmarket Electric Light, Power and Heat company has notified the secretary of state of an increase in its capital stock from \$10,000 to \$22,000.

It's folly to suffer from that horrible plague of the night, itching piles. Doan's Ointment cures quickly and permanently. At any drug store, 50 cents.

Canton Senter, Patriarch's Militant, at its meeting on Tuesday evening will elect delegates to the department council to be held in Concord early next month.

"It was almost a miracle. Burdock Blood Bitters cured me of a terrible breaking out all over the body. I am very grateful." Miss Julia Filbridge, West Cornwall, Conn.

Arrived, May 27—Steamer C. F. Mayer from Baltimore with 1510 tons coal; barge No. 19 from Baltimore with 1600 tons coal; schooner Lavinia Campbell from Washington with 1975 tons coal.

Rev. C. M. Beames of the Advent Christian church preached on Sunday morning on "The Second Personal Coming of Christ," in reply to a discourse by Rev. George W. Gile of

the Middle street Baptist church, delivered on May 12th.

There is no loiter about the dust. The carpenters of the city are all busy.

There is still quantities of mud on country roads.

The heavy overcoat is still fashionable this weather.

Col. Rufus N. Elwell was a visitor to the city today.

There are numberless bobolinks in the country fields.

The continued cold keeps back all kinds of vegetation.

There was one Sunday drunk before the police court today and he paid the usual fine and costs.

There was a disobedient child before the city marshal today.

Weather indications for Tuesday are probably showers, fresh southeast winds shifting to southwest.

A baseball game between Portsmouth and Exeter has been added to the list of attractions at the beach for Memorial day.

Tom Marsh has eleven head belonging to the Jones stable at the Dover track and some of them will be seen in the Grand Circuit, but he is going very carefully with them. Betonica, 2:10 1-2, the California pacer, is taking his work this spring in a manner most encouraging.

**AN APPEAL FOR FLOWERS.**

HEADQUARTERS STORER POST, No. 1, G. A. R.

All persons having flowers to contribute for Memorial day, will please send them to the county court house on State street, early in the day of Wednesday, May 29th. A liberal donation is desired, as each year the number of graves we decorate increases. If desired, the committee will call for them by notifying the chairman. All contributions will be gratefully received.

A. M. LANG, 25 Austin street, Chairman committee on wreaths and flowers.

**TOUCHED ON WHIST.**

Rev. Thomas Whiteside of the Methodist church, in the course of his sermon on Sunday morning, treated briefly of the whist issue which was recently so prominently discussed in this city. The clergyman said that the storm of indignation which resulted from the minister's allusion to playing for prizes only showed how firmly rooted it is in the social practices of today and how hard it will be to get rid of it.

**FRATERNAL VISIT.**

The members of Olivet commandery, Knights of Malta, will pay a fraternal visit to the Dover commandery on Tuesday evening. The visitors will assemble at Benham's stable at half-past six o'clock sharp and for the occasion will wear black ties and black gloves. The occasion for the visit is the working of important degrees, in addition to the brotherly mingling.

**LOOK OUT FOR HIM.**

We have been informed by the publishers, that a young man is going about New Hampshire, representing himself as an agent of Donahoe's Magazine. We warn the public that this young man is an impostor and has no authority from that company.

**IT SAVED HIS LEG.**

P. A. Danforth, of LaGrange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg; but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For Ulcers, Wounds, Piles, it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. Sold by Globe Grocery Co.

**OBITUARY.**

Levi Moulton.

Levi Moulton, the market gardener, died at his home, 26 Woodbury avenue, late on Sunday evening, aged seventy-one years. He had been ill only about two days. Mr. Moulton was a native of Raymond and there interment will take place.

Bessie May Clark.

Bessie May Clark, the nine months' old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Job Clark of No. 1 Charles street, died on Saturday, May 25, and the funeral was held at the home of the parents at half-past two o'clock this afternoon. The Rev. Thomas Whiteside of the Trinity Methodist church conducted the service. The burial was in Harmony Grove cemetery. Mr. R. W. Nickerson was the funeral director.

**MAY LOSE ITS SIGHT.**

A child of Charles E. Hammond of Humphreys court, while playing about the house one day last week, tripped and fell in such a manner as to strike one of its eyes on a projection on a table. It is feared that the child will lose the sight of the eye.

The Herald has all the latest news.

**IS A PORTSMOUTH MAN.**

Walter I. Rand, Who Has been Selling "Lucky Stones" in Boston Recently.

Walter I. Rand, dealer in metals and precious stones, with offices at 170A Tremont street, Boston, who was Saturday arrested in connection with a "lucky" scheme, is going to fight the postoffice authorities to a finish in the matter, on the ground that he has never violated the postal laws in any respect, and he has engaged H. N. Allen as his counsel. He is now held in \$1000 for his appearance Tuesday.

Rand is forty-eight years old but looks younger. He was born in Portsmouth, but has lived in Boston for years. He is well known as an expert in metals and stones.

In fighting the case he will call upon stone experts to tell what these lucky stones are and to estimate their value, and will call on others to show that he has been in Ceylon. He will tell why he thinks there is luck in felpar.

Briefly stated, Mr. Rand's plan was this. He inserted in the several Boston papers an advertisement to the effect that when he was once broke upon the island of Ceylon he was given an Indian "lucky stone" by a Hindu priest. After that, he says, his luck changed. The next day a tourist party arrived. In this party were several Bostonians, and they at once engaged Rand. The advertisement went on to say that once while here in Boston Rand lost or missed his stone and then fell into bad luck again. This continued till he found it again.

Rand therefore secured a quantity of these stones and offered them to the public as "lucky stones." He says in his "ads" that "he thinks" they will bring luck.

On the other hand, the postoffice authorities say the stones are not worth three cents apiece, and that Rand, in selling them through the mails, got \$1 for them, and the public was consequently defrauded.

**For Over Fifty Years**

Mrs. Winslow's SCORCHING SYRUP has been used for children's teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, always all pain, cures wind and the most obstinate colic, cures Diarrhoea, twenty-five cents a bottle.

**OBSEQUIES.**

The funeral of Meshach Tobey of Kittery Point was held at the Free Baptist church, Kittery Point, on Sunday afternoon, with a large attendance. The services were conducted by Rev. Victor Morse, the pastor, who was assisted by Rev. Anderson, a former pastor, and Rev. Loucks. Osgood lodge, I. O. O. F., of this city, and Golden Cross lodge of Kittery conducted their services at the church. Interment was in the church cemetery. Undertaker H. W. Nickerson of this city had charge of the funeral and burial.

The funeral of Thomas Crompton was held at the home of the deceased at two o'clock this afternoon. There was quite a large gathering of the relatives and friends of the deceased and friends of the family. The Rev. Henry Emerson Hovey, rector of St. John's Episcopal church, conducted the service for the dead. The last resting place is in Harmony Grove cemetery.

At half past two o'clock this afternoon occurred the funeral of Richard Jones at the home of the deceased, No. 2 Burdett street. The service was performed by the Rev. Lucius H. Thayer of the North Congregational church. Many relatives and friends were present. Interment was made in the family lot in Harmony Grove cemetery. Mr. H. W. Nickerson was the funeral director.

At the home of the deceased, No. 69 Maplewood avenue, at half past one o'clock this afternoon, was held the funeral of Mrs. Hannah Roberts, the Rev. Thomas Whiteside of the Methodist church performing the rites for the dead. Interment was made in the family lot in Harmony Grove cemetery by Mr. Oliver W. Ham.

The funeral of Mrs. Charlotte Douglas was held at the home, No. 1 Rogers street, on Sunday afternoon. Rev. Lucius H. Thayer officiated. Interment was in Harmony Grove cemetery, by Undertaker Nickerson.

**SHOWING UP WELL.**

George Woods has already become very popular with the baseball fans in Lewiston, Me., where he is playing on the New England league team. He has been shoved up to second place in the batting list and is finding the ball safely in every game. On Saturday, he made a hit and a run, but had no fielding chance. His friends in this city are sure he will make good for the season.

**PENSION CHANGES.**

New Hampshire—Original, Sidney N. Paul, Soldiers' home, Tilton, 26. Increase, Henry Dodge, Massachusetts, 12; Albert H. Tract, North Haverhill, 17. War with Spain, widows, Mary A. Grallacy, mother, Nashua, 12.

**PORTSMOUTH MAY GET ONE.**

Torpedo Boat Rendezvous May Be Located at This Station.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 27.—The naval torpedo boat board, which has in charge the determination of a policy for the torpedo boat fleet and the selection of a chain of stations along the Atlantic coast has returned from a trip along the southern coast. The board will now inspect the points on the northern Atlantic coast, assembling next Tuesday at Portsmouth, N. H., and then going to Boston, Newport, New London, New York and Philadelphia.

No determination has yet been made as to the central points to be recommended as torpedo boat rendezvous. Although the first tendency was toward locating the northern torpedo boat station at New London, it is now believed that the division of the station there by a railway so limits the site that it will not be available, and the preference appears to be toward Portsmouth, N. H.

Brunswick, Ga., also has asked to have its merits considered as a torpedo boat station, but it is not likely that the board will return South.

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**PERSONALS.**

Perley Foss of Dover was in town on Sunday.

Edward Sterling is a new conductor on the electric road.

Miss Clara Hanscom passed Sunday with friends in Salem, Mass.

Miller Palfrey has entered the employ of R. Clyde Margeson.

Arthur M. Doolittle is passing several weeks in Troy for his health.

Henry Spinney has entered the employ of B. Atwell and Co. as clerk.

N. Shannon has returned from East Boston, where he has been employed.

Miss Abbie G. Langley of Wellington, Mass., is visiting relatives on Highland street.

Mrs. George W. Gile and Miss Mabel Gile are to pass the season at New London.

Col. M. H. Gregg passed Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. E. M. Poitevin, in Beachmont, Mass.

Judge Edward H. Adams is confined to his home in Stratham by a severe attack of the grippe.

Charles Stringer and family of Kansas City are visiting their old home in this city, after a sixteen years' absence.

Judge Edgar Aldrich has engaged as his private secretary Robert Jackson, son of James R. Jackson, Esq., of Littleton.

Commander A. P. Nezzo, U. S. N., was a visitor to Commander W. T. Swinbourne, U. S. N., and family, on Sunday.

C. O. Washburn, the old Portsmouth High school and Delapoon club athlete, is a member of the Phillips Audover track team, this year.

Mrs. Robert F. Bradford and daughter, who have been passing the winter in Boston, have returned and reopened their residence on Court street.

Mrs. Fred F. Moses and Miss Julia Moses leave this week for Buffalo, to attend the Pan American Exposition and the National Dancing Teachers' convention.

The marriage of Miss Ethel S., daughter of Mrs. Orintha Leckhart, isington street, to Mr. Burling of Tilton will take place in this city on Wednesday of next week.

Judge S. W. Emery has his hands full of business, making all the papers and laying out the routes for the immense electric railroad interests of Wallace D. Lovell.

Walter Woods' pitching arm is in bad condition and he will come home this week for a brief rest. When he rejoins the Syracuse team, his wife will go with him for a trip.

Frank Holt, of West Epping, the young catcher who was given a trial by the Manchester team of the New England league in several exhibition games before the season opened, was in town on Saturday. He came down with the Epping team, but did not play. Holt says he is still under contract with Manchester.

**APPOINTMENTS MADE.**

Four Men Secure Important Positions at the Navy Yard.

Joseph W. Walker, civil engineer has been appointed dry dock inspector at the navy yard at \$5.04 per diem. Mr. Walker had charge of the work on the fortifications at Gerrish island.

Frank Hoyt of this city has been appointed sub inspector of steel and iron, and Frank E. Housen of Manchester and Charles H. Hoyt sub inspectors of masonry.

Their appointments were made as the result of the recent examination and they are to assist Civil Engineer L. E. Gregory, U. S. N.

**WAS IT MURDER?**

York River Being Dragged for a Bundle Thrown Into it at Midnight Saturday.

The town of York has a mystery on its hands and the York river is being dragged by the authorities for a bundle thrown overboard at midnight, Saturday, under suspicious circumstances.

While a man named Goodwin was under Rice's bridge in a boat, fishing, at the time mentioned, a team was driven onto the bridge, and stopped almost directly over Mr. Goodwin's boat. The buggy was occupied by a man and woman, Mr. Goodwin judges from the conversation.

The man jumped out of the buggy, took a big bundle from the vehicle, lifted the bundle over the rail of the bridge and dropped it into the water. As the man let the bundle fall he said, "that finishes up the job."

Mr. Goodwin notified the authorities on Sunday and the river is now being dragged. Mr. Goodwin says the bundle was wrapped in a blanket or shawl, and it sank at once beneath the water.

The occurrence, coupled with some of the rumors that have developed since, furnishes considerable comment and gossip in York.

**NAVAL ORDERS.**

These naval orders have been issued: Lieutenant-Commander J. M. Bowey, to Washington yard.

Ensign E. T. Fitzgerald, from the Keeseau to torpedo station for course of instructions.

Naval Cadets J. L. Babcock, B. O. Allen, from naval academy to home and await orders.

Naval Cadets A. Andrews and J. A. Farrer, from the naval academy to the Constellation.

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**MATRON AND MAID.**

Mrs. Ella Wheeler Wilcox says woman's influence on politics is bad.

Gladstone's daughter, Miss Helen, will in September become warden of the Women's University Settlement, Southwark, London.

Mrs. Harrison recently presented a portrait of her husband, the late ex-President Harrison, to the Harrison school of Indianapolis.

Miss Harriet A. Boyd and Miss Wheeler of Smith college have arrived at Crete in order to begin excavations in the eastern part of the island under the auspices of the Archeological Institute of America.

The most elaborately and expensively dressed woman in New York society has the bluest blood of the land in her veins, for Mrs. Clarence Mackay is a descendant of Lord Stirling, and Lady Katherine Duer was her great-great-grandmother.

No woman is said so to influence national politics as the Countess Marie von Bulow, wife of the German chancellor. She has made a study of German political affairs, and her power with her husband and his friends is well nigh unlimited.

Mme. Pauline Lucca has written to a Vienna newspaper thanking those who congratulated her on her "sixtieth birthday," but saying that she will keep all letters, telegrams and cards till that event really takes place, three years hence. Mme. Lucca is herself responsible for the mistake, as when she entered the chorus of the Vienna opera she said that she was 15 instead of 12.

Mrs. Andrew Carnegie is comparatively little known in New York outside of her circle of personal friends. Her tastes are simple and do not incline to the brilliant social life which it would be easy for her to lead. Those who know her say that she is a most agreeable hostess, frank, affable and cordially hospitable in her welcome to the beautiful homes of which she is mistress.

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